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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

In the football game at Philadelphia between Annapolis and West Point teams, the army won by a score of 22 to 8. ——In the U. S. Circuit Court at Richmond, Va., argument in proceedings to invalidate the new constitution of Virginia was resumed; in the afternoon the court dismissed the suits on the ground that it had no jurisdiction. —— Thirteen persons were killed and scores of others were injured by a boiler explosion in Swift & Co.'s plant at Chicago; the building in which the explosion occurred was destroyed and burned; several adjoining buildings were wrecke. —— A strike of electrical workers in Asheville, N. C., for higher wages is expected, to go into effect Monday. —— Opinion in Mexico is still divided on the adoption of a gold standard. ——Four men kill and eight injured is the result of an explosion in a coal mine at Shamoken, Pa. —— A syndicate is thought to have been formed for the purpose of floating Venezuela's many debts. —— Mob at Ivonton, Ohio, attempted to lynch a man in jail charged with assaulting a woman, but was prevented by the sheriff and deputies. ——Fire at Knoxville; loss $100,000. —— A negro banjo player at Providence, R. I., shot and killed a negro woman, wounded another woman and then killed himself. ——Two men made an unsuccessful attempt to hold up a train near Alton, Mo. —— York markets: Money on call was quoted steady at 3@4 per cent; rosin firm; spirits turpentine firm, quoted at 51c.; cotton quiet at 8.55c; flour was quiet but steady.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 29.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 43 degrees; 8 P. M., 55 degrees; maximum, 62 degrees; minimum, 41 degrees; mean, 52 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 2.72.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—For North Carolina: Showers followed by fair Sunday. Monday fair; light to fresh west winds.

Port Almanac---November 30.

Sun Rises	6.51 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.46 P. M.
Day's Length	9 H. 57 M.
High Water at Southport	8.32 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	10.52 P. M.

The city of New York has over forty-five thousand men and women on its pay rolls, and several times as many who would like to be.

The New York Subway Railway Company expects to continue in business for some time. It has just leased the elevated railway for 999 years.

The tariff revisionists in Congress will not get much comfort out of Uncle Joe Cannon, if he is elected Speaker, unless he revises his sentiments. He is "agin" revision.

There is a great deal written these days telling people how to support a family on $300 a year, &c., by people who never tried it. Perhaps it might be done, but would that be living?

Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, says New York and Chicago are the two wickedest cities in the world, and growing worse. Now Sam Jones will have to move hell from the various localities where he has put it.

Two months ago a girl in Missouri quarreled with her fellow, fell into trance and remains in it yet notwithstanding efforts to arouse her. Perhaps the fellow hypnotized her. This is warning for the girls not to spat with their fellows.

With slight changes from the original: There was a man in Richmond town, and he was John S. Wise; he jumped into a bramble bush and scratched out both his eyes. See decision of United States Circuit Court rendered yesterday.

Mr. Blackburn's bill providing a State patrol for Georgia has been shelved by the Legislature. The principal objection was that many of the patrolmen would be more zealous in the search for fees than for criminals and vagrants. But wouldn't it be very easy to guard against that by requiring satisfactory endorsements of the men appointed as patrols?

There is a law suit pending in Chicago over the ownership of a lizard that a denizen of that town coughed up. It escaped and and another denizen killed it and bottled it in alcohol, then the original proprietor claimed it on the ground that as he had raised, boarded and lodged it so long it was his by law. That's the problem that now confronts the jurists.

A TINY INFANT ABANDONED.

Child in Basket Found at Door of Fourth Street Residence Night Before Last. Returned to its Mother.

A tiny female infant, wrapped in swaddling clothes and carefully laid in a basket, was found at the front door of Capt. Harvey C. Twining's residence, 515 North Fourth street, night before last. Yesterday morning Chief of Police Furlong made an investigation of the abandonment of the child and traced knowledge of the affair to an old colored woman calling herself Madame Hall, who lives near the Walker Memorial Hospital and who is reputed to practice witchcraft.

Further investigation at the house of the old woman disclosed the fact that the child had been spirited away from the hospital a short time before it was found at the Fourth street residence, with the consent of its young mother, who refuses to disclose her name and begs that the child be given a comfortable home and that she be allowed to go unmolested. The young woman is described as being under 21 years of age, pretty and of a refined appearance. In regard to the abandonment of the child, she would only say that the basket was left at Capt. Twining's house by mistake.

The identity of the young woman remains a mystery so far as she would consent for the newspapers or the public to be informed.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Pork at 15 cents per pound makes the housekeeper squeal.

—During the past month license was issued for the marriage of 13 white and 12 colored couples.

—The remainder of Mr. Pembroke Jones' guests at "Airlie" left last night in Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt's private car.

— Rev. M. C. Walton will preach at Southside Baptist church to-day, both morning and evening, at the usual hours.

— There will be an Emergent Communication of St. John's Lodge No. 1, R. A. M. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock for work in the Master's degree.

—The statement of the Atlantic National Bank, issued Nov. 25, shows total deposits amounting to $1,564,231.44. This is said to be the largest in the State.

—Parker, the furniture man, was too busy to write an advertisement yesterday, but an announcement in another column, brought over from last week, will be found interesting.

— British steamer *Zambesi*, Capt. Rooney, cleared yesterday for Liverpool with a cargo of 13,900 bales of cotton valued at $585,000 and consigned by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son.

—Third Vice President T. M. Emerson of the Atlantic Coast Line has been given private car No. "305," formerly of the Plant System. It is one of the most handsome in the service.

— The Winter girl now comes to the fore, with cloaks and capes and muffs galore. Pure and white as the driven snow, God bless her now and evermore. [Copyrighted by the STAR Office Cat.]

— The company store of the Bridgers-McKeithan Lumber Co. at Lumber, S. C., was destroyed by fire Friday night. Loss $5,000; partially covered by insurance.

— Fire Chief Charles Schnibben has received an invitation to be one of Chief Marshal J. D. McNeill's aides at the firemen's tournament at Charleston this week. Owing to a rush of duties here, Chief Schnibben could not accept.

— All Red Men of the city are requested to meet in their wigwam tomorrow night with scalping knives, etc., for the purpose of adopting three pale faces captured last week in the forests about the Wilmington reservation.

— Official notice is given in another column of an important meeting of the Carpenters and Joiners' Union to be held next Saturday night. Officers for the ensuing term will be nominated and other important business transacted.

Died in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. A. G. Voigt yesterday received the sad intelligence that her brother had died in Germantown, Pa. Accompanied by Dr. Voigt, she will leave this evening to attend the funeral.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

N. F. Parker—Better see.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Busy days.
Jno. L Boatwright—Notice.
Vollers & Hashagen—Cigars.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—New things.
S. & B. Solomon—Huck towels.
Prudential Ins. Co.—Statement.
Carpenters and Joiners—Notice.
New Hanover Iron Works—Notice.
Millinery Training School—Notice.
Hall & Pearsall—Christmas goods.
Academy—"The Great Martynne."
Masonic—Meeting St. John's Lodge.
Atlantic Trust and Banking Co.—statement.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Red Men—Notice.
Wanted—Boarders.
Wanted—Experienced salesmen.
Handsome Lady—Wants to marry.
Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co,—Gas heating stoves.

COURTS ADJOURNED.

Both the Federal and State Terms in Wilmington Were Completed Yesterday.

HALF-DAY SESSIONS HELD.

Only a Few Cases Tried Before Either Tribunal—Convicts That Go to the County and to the Penitentiary. Reaves' Case Quashed.

Both the United States District Court and the New Hanover Superior Court adjourned yesterday about noon, having been in session here since last Monday. Judge Thos. R. Purnell, who presided over the first named term, left last Monday evening for Raleigh to hold Federal court this week, and Judge Henry R. Bryan and Solicitor Duffy, of the Superior Court, will go next week to Kenansville, Duplin county, to hold court there.

Yesterday's session of the U. S. court was devoid of any special features and at 1 o'clock in the afternoon a recess was taken until the first Monday in February next, to which time cases on the docket, not disposed of, were continued. These include a number of important postoffice cases which necessarily had to go over on account of the sickness in Raleigh of Inspector F. N. Davis, who was unable to be present at the term just concluded.

Joe Dupree, colored, of Scotland county, who was convicted Friday of "retailing," was brought into court yesterday and sentenced to 30 days in jail and to pay a fine of $100 and costs.

H. J. You, a defaulting witness who was fined during the week for non-attendance, was released of the penalty imposed.

Pearl Cagle, of Richmond county, was found guilty of illicit distilling and was sentenced to 60 days in jail and to pay a fine of $100 and costs.

A. B. McDonald, of Scotland county, charged with failing to obliterate a revenue stamp on a spirituous liquor package, was required to pay the cost in the action. In a case in which the defendant was charged with illicit distilling, tried on Friday, he was allowed to give bond in the sum of $500 to the February special term.

Messrs. J. N. Edwards, Rufus Register and C. E. Wood were returned by the Marshal and served as tales jurors for the day.

In the Superior Court.

The Superior Court met yesterday morning as usual and Sheriff Stedman returned the talesmen ordered summoned for the day with the exception of J. J. Moore, Sr., H. C. Wright, C. N. McArthur and T. A. Northam, who were not found.

The only case of interest taken up during the day was that of Mr. W. J. Reaves, who was charged with false pretence in the alleged overdrawing of money on a house which he had a contract to build for Capt. A. M. Wilson. Defendant's counsel, Messrs. Marsden Bellamy, L. V. Grady and C. D. Weeks made a motion to quash the bill of indictment upon legal grounds and the same was allowed by Judge Bryan, whereupon Jno. H. Gore, Jr., Esq., who assisted Solicitor Duffy in the prosecution, took an appeal to the Supreme Court. Notice of appeal was waived and each side was given 30 days in which to file statement and counter-statement on appeal.

The only other case during the day was that of Joe Woodard, colored, charged with the larceny of some lumber from Mr. C. C. Parker, while the last named was doing some painting in Oakdale cemetery. The theft was committed Friday and yesterday morning early the negro was brought before Justice McGowan, who heard the evidence and sent him up to the higher court. Before the latter tribunal Woodard pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four months in jail, with leave to the County Commissioners to hire him out for the costs.

The county road squad of convicts is reinforced by only eight prisoners as the result of the term just closed. They are all colored and as follows: Joe Johnson, two months each for larceny and assault with a deadly weapon; Bruce Morgan, larceny, 12 months; Jim Sanders, Ernest Blount and John Grady, gambling, 30 days each; Laurence Brown, larceny, six months; Louise Curtis, assault with deadly weapon, 60 days; Joe Woodard, larceny, four months. John Grady will also serve 30 days for resisting an officer, for which he was tried in the Mayor's court.

Three will go to the penitentiary as the result of the term. Ed. French and Walter McKoy, both colored, go up for one and three years, respectively, for manslaughter; J. H. Williams and Orange Jessie, both colored, 25 and 10 years respectively, for burglary in the second degree.

The grand jury's report made to the court just before adjournment yesteraay is published in another column.

New Grocery Open To-morrow.

The Wilmington Grocery, Capt. Jno. L. Boatwright, manager, will open for business to-morrow at No. 15 South Front street, the store formerly occupied by the Jno. L. Boatwright Company. It is learned that Mr. S. W. Sanders is interested in the business and with Capt. Boatwright, as manager, the new store will be conducted by men with wide experience and a complete knowledge of the grocery trade. The new store respectfully solicits the patronage of the public.

AGAINST SLOT MACHINES.

Grand Jury Attacked Much Mooted Question at Last Week's Term of Court. Report of the Body.

The grand jury at last week's term of the Superior Court came out strongly against the licensing of slot machines in its report submitted to Judge Bryan upon the adjournment of the term yesterday afternoon. The jury recommends that the law be applied to the operators of such devices and it is hinted that a number of presentments were made against the owners of the machines but, of course, that part of the jury's proceedings is withheld from the public until true bills are found at the next term.

Chairman McEachern, of the Board of County Commissioners, was asked in reference to the matter yesterday afternoon. He said he knew of no "stronger arm of the law" to deal with the question than the grand jury itself. The matter had been carefully investigated for the Board by the Attorney General of the State and he saw no way that the Commissioners could act in the premises.

The report of the jury was read yesterday as follows:

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 29.

Hon. Henry R. Bryan Judge of Fifth District.

HONORED SIR: We, your grand jury, respectfully report that we have disposed of all matters brought before us, have returned 13 true bills, 4 not true bills and have made 11 presentments.

After thorough examination we report that we find the Court House and county jail in good and satisfactory condition.

We find at the County Home that when it rains the water flows into the basement through a trap door located outside of the building. The dampness from the rain that enters the cellar results in injury to the furnance. We also find at said institution that the sink is not adequate to carry off the garbage, swill, etc., and the noxious affluvia arising therefrom is injurious to health. We recommend that these two matters be given attention. With the exception of these defects we report that the institution is well kept, the inmates well provided for and contented.

We view with condemnation the issuing of licenses for conducting gambling devices known as slot machines. We learn that 20 such machines are licensed to do business in this community. The demoralizing and baneful influence; especially upon the youth of our city, is manifest and we ask the authorities granting said licenses to revoke the same and we invoke the strong arm of the law to suppress the crime.

To your honor and the other officers of the court we express our appreciation for the urbanity shown this jury during its session. Respectfully,

THE GRAND JURY.
JNO. J. FOWLER, Foreman.

BOARD MEETINGS TO-MORROW.

County Commissioners Will Have a Busy Session—The Board of Aldermen.

All the regular board meetings will be held Monday. At the session of the County Commissioners at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon all the officers of New Hanover will renew or make new bonds and enter upon another administration. There will be no change in the personnel of county officers but in township officers there will be two or three changes. One of them is the entering upon his duties of the newly elected constable of Wilmington township, Mr. W. B. Savage, who succeeds Constable William Sheehan, Sr. Another important feature of the meeting will likely be the election of a successor to Commission Montgomery, who will remove very soon to Point Caswell to engage in the grocery business. There was an informal conference of several of the Commissioners at the Court House yesterday afternoon, but nothing was given out for publication as to the purpose or results of the conference.

The Board of Aldermen will meet Monday night. One of the features is expected to be a discussion of the ordinance requiring telephone and telegraph poles to be painted and numbered, which will be called to the attention of the Board by Alderman Hashagen. The Consolidated, Railways Light and Power Co. has recently painted all the city lamp posts a dark green and the improvement is very pleasing.

LOCAL SHIPPING IN NOVEMBER.

Harbor Master's Report Shows Increase Over Same Months in Former Years.

The monthly report of Capt. Edgar D. Williams, harbor master, shows arrivals of vessels of 90 tons and over during November as follows:

American—12 steamers, 12,714 tons; 2 barges, 2,539 tons; 11 schooners 4,863 tons. Total vessels, 25. Total tonnage, 20,116.

Foreign—7 steamers, 14,004 tons; 2 barques, 1,357 tons; 3 schooners, 860 tons. Total vessels, 12; total tonnage, 16,121.

The grand total number of vessels is 37 with a combined tonnage of 36,237, which is a decided increase in shipping over November last year when only 24 vessels entered with a combined tonnage of 22,282. The report for the month this year is even more favorable when compared with November two years ago.

Reward for Long and Faithful Service.

For and in consideration of her long and faithful services, covering a period of more than twenty years, the Wilmington and Coast Turnpike Company has transferred to Mrs. Mary C. Wright for the period of her natural life, the "third toll house" property of the late company on Wrightsville Sound. By terms of the deed, upon the death of Mrs. Wright the property will pass into the possession of Mr. Frank Herbst.

THE N. C. CONFERENCE

Distinguished Body of Methodists Will Be Wilmington's Guests This Week.

OPENING SESSION WEDNESDAY

Rev. Mr. John on Early Methodism in the Cape Fear Section Tuesday Night. Entertainment of the Visiting Ministers and Delegates.

The North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, will convene in Wilmington with Grace church on Wednesday of this week at 10 o'clock A. M., Bishop A. Coke Smith, of Charlotte, presiding. The Conference will bring to the city one of the most distinguished bodies of Methodists in the South and certainly the largest religious organization in the State. The committees on reception and arrangement are advised that the attendance this year will be larger than usual and Wilmington is looking forward with much pleasure to entertaining hospitably the strangers within her gates upon this occasion.

Ministers and delegates will begin arriving to-morrow and Tuesday and those who have kindly consented to assist in entertaining them during their brief stay here, are asked to be prepared to receive them on the first of the days mentioned. The largest crowds will, of course, come on Tuesday's trains but many will be here to-morrow and the "rear guard," so to speak, will come in on Wednesday.

One of the interesting features of the opening of the Conference this year will be an historical address at Grace church Tuesday night by Presiding Elder R. B. John, of this district. He will speak on "Asbury and Early Methodism in the Cape Fear Section." The general public is invited to be present and hear the splendid discourse.

The local committee of entertainment for the Conference week is composed of Messrs. C. C. Covington, chairman; W. B. Cooper, W. E. Springer, Dr. D. W. Bulluck, R. C. Merritt, W. E. Perdew.

The transfer companies of the city will convey the baggage of all members of the Conference both ways for one fare.

Bishop Smith will be entertained while in the city at the home of Mr. E Borden and the visiting presiding elders will be entertained as follows: Rev. F. A. Bishop with Mr. H. M. Bishop, 916 Chesnut; Rev. J. T. Gibbs at The Orton; Rev. B. R. Hall, with Mr. S. H. Fishblate, 815 Market; Rev. W. H. Moore, with Rev. J. N. Cole, 401 North Second; Rev. W. S. Rone, with Mr. D. C. Love, 406 Grace; Rev. F. D. Swindell, with Mr. W. H. Sprunt, 223 North Third; Rev. J. E. Underwood, with Dr. A. D. McClure; Rev. R. A. Willis and wife, with Mr. J. W. Collins.

The STAR regrets that owing to the lateness of the hour at which the copy was received this morning, it is unable to print a full list of the ministers and delegates and the homes in Wilmington at which they will be entertained. The list is over three columns in length and could not be secured until after 1 o'clock this morning, hence the impossibility of the task.

WILMINGTON UNION MEETING.

Interesting and Profitable Session in Progress at Masonboro Baptist Church.

The Union Meeting of the Wilmington Baptist Association, embracing a large number of churches in Eastern North Carolina, has been in session with the Masonboro Baptist Church since Friday. Rev. M. C. Walton is presiding and Rev. Mr. Hocutt is present as secretary.

Friday the introductory sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Walton and on yesterday a very interesting programme was observed. Rev. J. A. Smith and Rev. J. L. Vipperman led a discussion upon the theme "What the Bible Teaches About Punishment." Mr. D. L. Gore, chairman of the Mission Committee, made a report of the apportionment to each church in the Association and in the afternoon Dr. Blackwell delighted the body with an address upon "Woman's Work in the Church."

To-day a Sunday school mass meeting, led by Mr. Geo. E. Leftwich, of this city, will be held in the morning and at 11 o'clock Rev. C. B. Paul, of Wilmington, will preach. At 3 P. M. the Union Meeting will listen to another sermon by Rev. J. L. Vipperman, also of Wilmington.

The next session of the Wilmington Association Baptist Union will be held on Friday, Saturday and the fifth Sunday following, in March, with Salem church, Onslow county.

Millinery Training School.

Madame L. Connelly, the accomplished New York milliner, will teach a limited number of pupils the art of millinery, consisting of frame work, body work, the artistic blending of colors, etc., beginning Jan. 1st, and continuing the course for one month. She will do private trimming after the date mentioned. Application for membership in the millinery class should be made at once.

Fourteen Road Recruits.

Arthur Jones, colored, was brought down from Lenoir county last week to serve a term of two years on the New Hanover chain gang for assault with a deadly weapon. He will be sent out to-morrow with five which came from Columbus county Friday and eight sentenced at last week's term of the court in this city.

CONCERT EXTRAORDINARY.

Musical Event of the Season Friday Night Week in Y. M. C. A. Auditorium. The Special Features

One of the most pronounced musical events of the entire season, barring none, will be a concert in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium next Friday night week under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Association.

Mrs. Samuel Jennings Springer will contribute largely to the programme with vocal solos in scenes from the grand opera productions, Carmen and Faust, and the other features will be by members of Hollowbush's splendid orchestra, collectively and individually. Mr. Kimborough Jones, violinist, Mr. Carl Cordier, clarionetist, and Prof. C. W. Hollowbush, cornetist, will each have individual numbers, and the feature extraordinary of the instrumental music, will be a spectacular rendition by the entire orchestra of "Forge in the Forest."

For the latter number Prof. Hollowbush carries all the electrical appliances and scenery, including the blacksmith's forge in practical operation, so as to make up a thoroughly metropolitan production. The electric anvils for the great forge scene are realistic and charming in their effect.

Three new members are on the way from the North to reinforce the orchestra and make it one of the premier musical organizations in the South.

The programme for the concert will be announced in due time.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC THIS WEEK.

Vaudeville Company Begins an Engagement Here Thursday Night.

The next attraction at the Academy of Music will be the "Great Martynne," the world's greatest spectacular, transformation, electrical and drapery dancer, presenting a series of most beautiful and bewildering dances. Some of them are "The Dance De Nuit," wearing the most costly garment of any dancer, made of pure black silk and thickly spangled with gold and silver dorangos; "The Dance De Colouers," "The Dance De Flamme," "The Dance of Silver" and "The Dance De Lullity." Miss Martynne, it is said, has the largest and most expensive wardrobe of any spectacular dancer, one of her garments containing nine hundred yards of silk. Measuring 29 feet across it, she requires the service of five expert electricians, who in connection with the little lady's dexterity produces the most beautiful myriads of colors, blendings and transformations ever witnessed.

Messrs. Cowan Bros., the local managers, yesterday received a telegram from Manager Eckman Jones, of the Suffolk (Va.) Opera House, praising the company in the most extravagant terms. The "Great Martynne" will begin a three-night engagement here Thursday evening and the sale of seats for the opening performance will begin Wednesday morning at popular prices. Thursday night each lady accompanied by the holder of a paid thirty cent ticket will be admitted free.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. A. T. Clark, of Columbus, was a STAR visitor yesterday.

— Mr. T. L. Vines, of Southport, came up yesterday for a brief business business trip.

— Miss Mary Shepard returned yesterday from a pleasant visit to friends at Scott's Hill.

— Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy leaves at 7 o'clock this evening to be present upon the opening of Congress to-morrow morning.

— J. W. Ragsdale, Esq., of the Florence bar, Florence, S. C., is in the city for a few days on professional business. He is a guest at The Orton.

— Fayetteville *Observer*, 29th: "Rev. Father Marion returned yesterday afternoon from Belmont and left this afternoon for Wilmington."

— Fayetteville *Observer*, 29th: "Mrs. W. H. Pemberton and children, of Wilmington, were in the city to-day en route to Richmond, Va., to visit Mrs. Pemberton's sister, Mrs. Borden."

DR. THOMPSON RESIGNS.

No Longer Chief Clerk to Collector Duncan—Canvass of State Vote.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 29.—Dr. Cyrus Thompson, ex-Secretary of State, has resigned as chief clerk to E. C. Duncan, Eastern District Collector of Internal Revenue, to take effect Dec. 1, and I. H. Deaton is promoted to fill the vacancy. Deaton's successor as subordinate clerk will be announced Monday. Dr. Thompson's resignation is because he prefers to be with his family and look after his farming interests in Onslow county.

The State Board of Elections will not complete its work of canvassing election returns till Monday afternoon. They have gotten only as far as Perquimans county in a canvass of the judicial vote. The Board, however, announces the vote for Chief Justice as follows: Clark, 132,740; Hill, 70,304. Clark's majority, 62,436. Other votes for State officers were: Superintendent of Public Instruction, Joyner, 135,840; Long, 68,209. Joyner's majority, 67,649. For Corporation Commissioner, Beddingfield, Democrat, 135,646; Abbott, Republican, 69,426. Beddingfield's majority, 66,220.

The Secretary of State charters the Webster-Peoples Co., of Siler City, $5,000 capital, to do a mercantile business.

Rehder's Rehder's

The Newest Things in Men's Neckwear.

Our Men's Ties are the prettiest and most striking creations shown for many seasons.

The new Four-in-hand Ties, full length, of elegant material, in black with white embroidered flowers. Black with red or blue satin stripe on edge. White with black stripe in center, and many other new designs, sold by most stores for 65 and 75c. Nothing nicer for Christmas presents for stylish young men. Our introductory price 50 cents.

Our display of Holiday Novelties will be complete in about one week.

It will be a display that will eclipse anything of its kind during the past season.

J. H. REHDER & CO.
nov 30 tf 615, 617 and 619 North Fourth Street.

Huck Towels.

100 dozen Colored Bordered Huck Towels, size 20x38 inch, good value at 15 cents. Our special price this week

10 Cents Each.

S. & B. SOLOMON.
nov 30 tf

Statement of Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.,

Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business November 25th, 1902, condensed from report to Corporation Commission. (Began business September, 1902.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$196,722 67	Capital Stock	$ 50,000 00
Furniture and Fixtures	400 00	Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,667 84
Cash on hand, Due from Banks	3,019 68	Accrued Interest due to depositors	475 00
		Deposits	145,000 51
	$200,143 35		$200,143 85

MATT J. HEYER, President. B. H. J. AHRENS, Vice President.
nov 30 tf MITCHELL F. ALLEN, Cashier.

YOU HAD BETTER SEE!

One Price Marked in Plain Figures. Liberal Terms to the Right People.

My stock is large and complete, and in variety and quality will compare favorably with the best in any Metropolitan city, but there may be something special you wish to give father, mother, sister, brother, or some loved one as a Xmas gift, that I may not have—if so, I will order it for you, and guarantee delivery Xmas Eve, provided you order not later than December 1st; after that date I will not guarantee delivery.

N. F. PARKER,

Furniture and Furniture Novelties, 111 Market St.

Bell 'Phone 613. Inter-State 421.
nov 23 tf

For Asthma use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION to-morrow (Monday) evening at 8:00 o'clock, for work in Master's Degree.
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
By order of W. M.
R. C. MERRITT, Secretary.
no 30 1t

Announcement.

THE HANOVER IRON WORKS.

14 Market St., W. E. King, Manager:

Respectfully announces to the public that we are ready to contract for any work in our line, viz: Manufacturers of Sheet Metal Cornices, Skylights, Finials, Crestings, Mill Work, Stack Work, Hot Air Furnace Work, Roofing, etc. General Repair Work a specialty. Prompt attention; moderate prices. nov 30 1w

NOTICE.

On Monday, Dec. 1st, we will open a first class Grocery store in every particular at No. 15 South Front street. We will supply you with everything in our line perfectly fresh, of the very best quality and at moderate prices.

We would be much pleased to open an account with as many responsible parties as will favor us, particularly our old customers. Respectfully,

JNO. L. BOATWRIGHT,
nov 30 tf Wilmington Groceryman.

Millinery Training School.

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SUNDAY MORNING, NOV. 30.

WILL HANNA BE IN IT?

The Washington newspaper correspondents are devoting considerable attention to the question as to whether President Roosevelt will have opposition for the nomination in 1904, and if so who his opponent is most likely to be. The index finger, as most of them see it, points to Mark Hanna, although he is not giving any visible sign, observing silence but not failing to contradict the report that he is in bad health and contemplating retiring from politics.

Mr. Roosevelt is in favor of tariff revision, but, to avoid precipitation, thinks that there should be a tariff commission appointed to give the question a thorough investigation, and recommend the changes that should be made. This idea does not strike some of the Senators and Represenatives favorably for they resent it as entrenching upon their domain and delegating to others the work which has heretofore been done by them and for which they feel entirely competent. In commenting upon this opposition the Washington *Times* says:

To the experienced politician there is a suspicious look in the attitude assumed by numerous Republican Senators toward the President's tariff commission proposition. It is suspected that behind the opposition, which now finds mild and cautious expression, there is maturing a scheme to put the Republican leadership in 1904 in other hands than those of Theodore Roosevelt. It was the Hon. Mark Hanna, for example, if memory is not at fault, who in clarion tones commanded the faithful to "stand pat" when the guns were thundering all along the line of battle a month ago, and the faint of heart were inclined to strike their colors on the tariff question. As an offset to this command the President admonished the timid souls to be of good cheer, as he would come to their relief with a strong recommendation to Congress for a tariff commission. In his now famous speech at Logansport, Ind., in September, the President promised the country that he would urge this upon Congress in strong and urgent terms. It is not known that many of his party leaders in the Senate who are now declaring—some of them publicly and others privately—that they are opposed to the commission idea and have advised him to keep the promised recommendation out of his message. From this circumstance it is inferred that they hope he will write a stirring paragraph in his message favorable to the commission idea, and then they will try to humiliate him before the country by defeating the measure. The cabal that successfully opposed his Cuban reciprocity policy at the last session has not been rebuked by the country for that act in any notable sense, and it is argued from this circumstance that the country will "stand for" another "turn down" of the President.

And then it asks the question, "Would Hanna lead?" and answers it thus:

But the most interesting feature of the whole scheme—if there is an actual scheme, as here set forth—revolves around the position of Senator Hanna. One of the most influential Republican Senators from the West—a man who apparently is on the most cordial and friendly terms with the President—said to a *Times* representative yesterday: "Mark Hanna can beat anybody for President, and if he should announce his candidacy now the unusual spectacle would be presented of men falling over one another in their wild efforts to desert the Administration for the Hanna banner." Furthermore, this Senator declared the belief that a concerted movement has been started in powerful quarters for the nomination of ex-President Cleveland as the Democratic candidate. "And," the Western Senator went on to say, "if I were the Republican nominee I would rather run against any man alive than Grover Cleveland. Hanna is the only man who could beat him." These declarations have been quoted literally. Whether the Senator meant what he said or not, may be open to question. But as he talked there was an unmistakable air of earnestness. If his name should be published a sensation of huge importance would be created—and, besides, the Senator might deny the whole thing.

Where there is so much smoke there must be some fire, and there has been considerable smoke raised about this. There is no question that by his tariff and trust and reciprocity utterances Mr. Roosevelt has alienated some potent powers, which have so long shaped legislation and public policies that they resent any movement to act independently of them or without consulting them. How little toleration the organs of tariff revision have for those who advocate it is shown by the following extract from one of the publications of the American Protective Tariff League, which the *Times* calls a "straw." It is the opening paragraph of a vigorous assault upon tariff revision:

"A germ of the Babcock-Commission-Foss virus has been carried over the line from Massachusetts into New Hampshire and another Republican editor 'has broke out' with the revision, reciprocity, and rip-it-open idea. This time it is the editor of the Manchester 'Mirror,' a paper founded long before the Republican party was born and which, because of its age and good record, is entitled to our deepest sympathy. But this new disease is so malignant that we must use heroic treatment and insert the knife to the very base of the ulceration. It is time for loyal Republicans and stanch protectionists to resent to the full the treachery that is going on and relegate these traitors to the free trade party, where they belong. It is time for Republicans as Republicans and protectionists as protectionists to stop talking of ripping open the tariff."

The League is working to scare the President off from recommending a tariff commission, but if he does that then the anti-revision forces will devote their energies to defeating the recommendation. The scheme then is if there be no strong protest against this they will conclude that the country is not so much stuck on Theodore Roosevelt and his recommendations, and then it will be safe to spring the opposition candidate. If Hanna accepts the leadership, the opinion in Washington is that he can have it. The question is will Hanna lead or co-operate in this movement? It is said that he and President Roosevelt are alienated, and that the only association between them is such as ordinary politeness requires when they meet. There are no conferences between them; the President does not consult Mr. Hanna and Mr. Hanna does not call on the President. He is no longer the presiding genius of the White House. He retired because he realized that he was no longer to be the presiding genius. He is under no obligations to Mr. Roosevelt, and there is no reason why he should refuse to enter the race, if his friends, who claim to be as good Republicans as Theodore Roosevelt, and as anxious for the success of the party as he is, put him to the fore and insist on his leading in the race. As he is in no way committed to Theodore Roosevelt for the nomination, and he is not averse to reaping some of the glory that he has been so instrumental in conferring upon others, and for which Mr. Roosevelt is in a measure indebted to him for the position he now fills, there is no reason why he should decline to enter the race against him. Perhaps Mr. Roosevelt also realizes this, and naturally concludes that Mr. Hanna may feel that he has a perfect right to get into Mr. Roosevelt's way and that he cannot blame him for it.

It would be a remarkable, and a very remarkable thing if President Roosevelt were to have no opposition for the nomination, and it would be equally remarkable, should there be opposition, if it doesn't center around Mark Hanna, who is still as far as individual influence goes, outside of patronage, the dominating personality in the Republican party.

A SHAM CONCESSION.

The New York *Sun* is one of the few Republican organs which has the courage to say what it thinks on the trust question, and it never fails to take a whack at the statesmen, especially the Republican statesmen, who pose as trust regulators or reformers, from President Roosevelt down. Representative Jenkins, of Wisconsin, has achieved some prominence as a trust regulator, and in the Fifty-seventh Congress introduced a drastic amendment to the Constitution, amplifying the power of Congress to deal with and regulate trusts. Commenting upon this the *Sun* says:

The proposed amendment of Congressman Jenkins' received the vote of nearly every Republican Representative in the Fifty-seventh Congress, not with any intention on their part of putting it through, but as a sham concession to supposed public sentiment and with a view to effect upon the then impending Presidential election. When we say that this was one of the most cynical and disgraceful exhibitions of demagogy ever witnessed at the National Capitol we do not question the sincerity of Judge Jenkins.

"A sham concession." Of course it was, and it was generally considered so at the time by people who are familiar with the methods of Republican politicians and the devices they resort to to humbug the people, evidences of which can be found in nearly every Republican platform adopted these days and in much of the proposed or enacted legislation of Congress.

And they are at it yet. All this talk about repressing trusts that violate the laws, regulating monopolies, revising the tariff, the action against the Beef Trust, &c., are sham concessions that would never have been thought of if the people had not shown so much interest in these questions and the Republican leaders did not think inaction or silence dangerous. The Beef Trust proceedings have been virtually abandoned, for they have served their purpose, and now that the Republicans have succeeded through their "sham concessions" in holding Congress we will see another illustration of the sham concession on tariff revision and trust curbing. This is an age of sham and the Republican statesmen are past masters in the art.

London has another sensation in swell circles. Sir Charles Hartopp is suing Lady Hartopp, a noted beauty, for divorce. She charges him with cruelty, with striking and beating her, which he stoutly denies, but, on the contrary, avows that on one occasion she kicked him on both shins, and kicked hard. According to Sir Charles she is not only a high roller but a hard kicker. She was as anxious once for a divorce as he is now and offered him $100,000 if he wouldn't make any objection, which he declined.

Miss Helen Gould, who by the way is a remarkably level-headed young lady, did the sensible thing on Thanksgiving day, and instead of presenting her 50 employes with turkey, which they would dispatch in a day and have nothing left but some bones and a reminiscence, she gave each one a barrel of kerosene oil, a large kerosene stove, a barrel of potatoes, a barrel of flour and a hundred pounds of bacon.

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BELOW COST.

A bill has been filed in the court of chancery in New Jersey asking that the Sugar Trust be restrained from "dealing in coffee" and from "selling sugar at less than cost." It is contended that under its charter is has no right to deal in coffee, but if it got its charter from New Jersey, as it doubtless did, the probabilities are that it can deal in anything "in the heavens above, in the earth below or in the waters under the earth."

The fact that the bill asks the court to restrain the Sugar Trust from dealing in coffee shows that the bill is the work of an attorney of the Arbuckles, who are coffee dealers, and have also taken a dip in sugar when bucking up against the sugar Trust, but this is further shown by the citation that as a "result of the fight with the Arbuckles the Trust is 'selling sugar below cost,' and has thus dissipated $50,000,000 of undivided profits," which should have gone to stockholders.

If this movement had been made by a stockholder of the Sugar Trust it would be all right as a movement to protect the dividends, but it seems to be simply a contest between two combines which have been fighting each other, the weaker of which feels the pressure and has applied to the courts for protection.

We have been told that to kill competition is not one of the objects of Trusts. If so why is the Sugar Trust selling sugar below cost, in its fight with the Arbuckles, if not to cripple and prevent competition by the Arbuckles? Why does the Sugar Trust deal in coffee, the speciality of the Arbuckles, if not for the same purpose?

But why should the Trust be restrained from selling sugar below cost? Doesn't the public get the benefit of this low priced sugar, and should it be deprived of this benefit because the Arbuckles can't afford to sell sugar so low and "blow in" $50,000,000 in the fight?

The logic of all this is that when one combine competing with another sells its products for less than its competitor can afford to sell them then the under dog in the fight will run yelping into court and whine for its protection. The public has been protesting for some time that the Trusts sell too high and unmercifully plunder their victims, but here comes one combine into court to protest that another combine sells too low and asks that it be restrained from doing so. That is another and an interesting phase of the Trust question.

An Atlanta woman says we can very easily turn the tables on the Northern Republicans if they reduce our representation in Congress in proportion to the number of votes disfranchised by the qualified suffrage laws. All that need be done, she says, is for the Southern States to enfranchise the women. But how about the black women.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Laws are being passed to protect most everybody against questionable purchases, but we don't hear of any being passed to protect the purchasers against the very questionable, cash-consuming, prices of these times—*Norfolk Ledger, Dem.*

—— Sheep raising would pay in this State, and pay well. There are millions of acres of cheap lands on which is grown a fair quality of grass. On such land sheep could be raised at a very small cost. As long, however, as the average Georgia legislator is afraid of the owner of the "yaller dog" the sheep industry will not flourish in this State.—*Savannah News, Dem.*

—— Such a unanimous cry of disgust went up from the press of the whole country because of Mr. Roosevelt's recognition of Addicks in Delaware that the President is making desperate, but lame efforts to explain away the significance of his course. If he could know the effect of his interference in the Republican politics of the Southern States, he would try to do some more explaining.—*Norfolk Landmark, Dem.*

—— One British trust, the Yorkshire Wool Combers' Association, finds that it has been spending its $10,000,000 capital recklessly, and as a result has gone into bankruptcy. Buying up independent concerns at enormous prices does not always pay, as the managers of this trust have discovered. Its work in trying to make foreign wool dear for American buyers will not lead many of them to regret its failure.—*Philadelphia Press, Rep.*

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Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Craig, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free. †

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We used to sit together, my Uncle
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And watch the sunset glory where it
lingered in the sky;
Wide fields of crimson, purple edged;
great citadels of flame;
The shifting play of shade and ray in
some fantastic game;
The shadow host that leaped and ran
to kiss the fading world,
And whispered "peace," and "peace,"
and "peace," ere day its banners
furled,
And, as we watched the lambent
flames that quivered in the air,
My uncle doffed his hat and said:
"My boy, our God is there."

Sometimes we sat beside a brook beneath the shady trees,
And heard the songs of all the birds,
the whisper of the breeze,
Afar the landscape stretched away
through summer lands of cheer;
Forgotten wrong in nature's song that
souls enraptured hear;
Above, a sea of deepest blue, with
isles of fleecy cloud,
And birds to voyage o'er the main
that never mortal plowed;
And long we'd sit, and long we'd
dream, and know the daytide
cheer;
Then uncle would in reverence say:
"My boy, our God is here."

Long years ago my uncle died, the
sunlight on his hair;
But, wheresoe'er he bides to-day, I
know his God is there;
For if by chance he should not reach
the heav'n through spaces dim,
Where'er he went would be content;
he'd take his heav'n with him;
And, watching all the shifting scenes
of life's fantastic play,
I've learned one truth, and learned it
well, and e'er I humbly say;
The God we love all gods above, the
God of praise and prayer,
Is ever in the loving heart that longs
to hold Him there.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Baptist church, Rev. C. S. Blackwell, D. D., pastor, 11 A. M. "The end of love." 7:30 P. M., "The Gospel.

There will be no evening service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church to-day. The announcement of service is recalled.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. C. W. Kegley pastor, Sunday school at 9:45 A. M., preaching at 11 A. M., services at 7:30 P. M. Everybody welcome.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt pastor. English services to-day at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Everybody cordially invited.

St. John's Church corner of Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. J. Carmichael, D. D. rector First Sunday in Advent. Litany, sermon, and holy communion 11 A. M. Sunday school 3:30 P. M.

First Church of Christ, Scientist Murchison bank building on Chesnut street. Services this evening at 11 o'clock A. M. and 8 P. M. Subject of Lesson Sermon, "God the Only Cause and Creator." All are invited.

Brooklyn A. C. Mission, corner Fourth and Bladen streets, services Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., Sunday school 10 A. M., prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:45, Elder C. Minor, pastor. All are invited to attend.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— Only they know how to live who live to die.—*Melville.*

— The flower of love may be fairest when the frost of hate strikes it.

— Whatever is great in human art is the expression of man's delight in God's work.

— The daily life of a Christian should be an advertisement of the religion he professes.

— A good heart is like the sun, for it shines bright and never changes, but keeps its course.—*Shakespeare.*

— Life is not inigmatical save as it is endeavored to be lived separate and apart from Him who holds its key. That key is prayer and supplication, the birthright which heaven has allotted each human soul. Do you pray, O man, O woman?—*William M. Sherrill.*

— "I shall rise again." This is the immortal song of the soul, keeping time to the music of eternity. Shall it be to ineffable glory, or to inexpressible shame? Be still and let the answer within be a step-stone to an affirmative to the first-mentioned interrogative.—*Wm. H. Sherrill.*

— God will be ever doing new things. He is forever active. He has purposes concerning me which He had not unfolded. Therefore each year grows sacred with wondering expectation. Therefore I and the world may go forth from each old year into the new which follows it, certain that in that new year God will have for us some new treatment which will open for us some novel life.—*Phillips Brooks.*

TWINKLINGS.

— "Old Gotrox says it was not long ago that he was very poor indeed." "Yes—the last time the tax assessor was around."—*Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.*

— Mrs. Waggs—"I understand that drinking is one of your husband's failings." Mrs. Jaggs—"You have been misinformed. It is his most pronounced success."—*Puck.*

— In South America—Tourist—"You certainly do have a great many insurrections." Native—"Yes; our insurrections are as frequent as your strikes, but fortunately, not as serious."—*Puck.*

— Kwoter—Well. "It's a poor rule that won't work both ways," you know. Jiggins—I say it's a poor rule that would work any way. If it wasn't poor it would have to work.—*Phila. Press.*

— Author—My book, Sir, will be in existence long after you are forgotten. Critic—Yes, I should say that it is likely to escape the wear and tear of excessive reading.—*Boston Transcript.*

— "I believe," said the young physician, "that bad cooks supply us with half our patients." "That's right," rejoined the old doctor, "and good cooks supply us with the other half."—*Chicago News.*

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It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Lumberton *Robesonian*: The cotton mill is in receipt of some new machinery, which is being installed at once. Since it opened it has been a most successful enterprise and for several weeks there has been considerable local demand for stock.

— Salisbury *Sun*: The first snow of the season here fell Thursday afternoon and for a while it seemed as though the elements were in for a long continued and blinding storm. The snow ceased falling in a short while, however, and the ground was not covered.

— Smithfield *Herald*: Mr. M. P. Lassiter of Elevation township farms for a profit. He raised this year seventeen bales of cotton on thirteen acres. On three acres of this land he raised six thousand pounds of seed cotton. He broke his land ten inches deep and run his rows four feet apart. He put in the rows a small quantity of stable manure and six hundred pounds of fertilizer per acre. He used one hundred pounds cerealite as a top manuring about July 1st.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: Mrs. Mary McDuffie died on Wednesday night, aged 72 years, at the residence on Old street of her son, Mr. John McDuffie. —— A number of counterfeit silver dollars were passed by two strangers in the city Thursday. One merchant on Person street found four of them in his possession when he went to make a deposit at the bank this morning. He remembers well how he got the dollars, and gave a good description of the swindlers to Chief of Police Flowers this morning. One was dark and tall, and the other, short and blond. They were white, and had the appearance of farm hands. A thorough search of the city was made for them to day, but no trace of them could be had.

— Newton *Enterprise*: Mr. M. M. Cline has cribbed this year 2,640 bushels of corn, and says he has the prettiest wheat he ever saw at this time of the year. —— We have in the office now a radish that is a radish. It weighs 12 pounds, is 18 inches long and 23 inches in circumference. —— Mr. John Sherrill brought us the top of a cotton stalk Saturday that was full of white blossoms. This has been a most remarkable fall. Good cotton could have been made on the wheat fields after harvest this year. —— About a hundred people went to the depot last Thursday night to see President Roosevelt pass. The train stopped about five minutes and the President made a little speech. Some of the boys guyed him a little about his bear hunt, but he took it in good humor.

— Wilson *Times*: Thursday just after services, while the people were at home enjoying their Thanksgiving dinner, a negro entered the vestry room of the Methodist church and attempted to force the desk drawer, open which contained $30, the Thanksgiving offering. He had cut the drawer with a pocket knife and scarred it considerably, but his efforts were futile. He was a stranger, wearing a light suit of clothes, so says an old negro who was passing at the time and saw him leave the church by the back door. ——Rufus Barnes who forged Mr. J. T. Rentfrow's name to checks and presented them to W. P. Gay and J. T. Williams, of Wilson, in order to have them cashed, and who was tried and put under bond for appearance at the next term of court, has again been guilty of the same offence. A few days ago he presented a check to the Smithfield bank drawn in his favor by W. P. Anderson, one of the proprietors of the Farmer's Warehouse in Wilson. The money was paid by the bank, but soon after the check was found to be forged and Barnes is now in the Smithfield jail.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—99 bales cotton, 36 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—278 bales cotton, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—922 bales cotton, 14 casks spirits turpentine, 60 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—162 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. P. Hurt—70 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 54 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—6 casks spirits turpentine, 40 barrels rosin.

Schooner Chauncey T.—18 casks spirits turpentine, 105 barrels rosin.

Total—1,531 bales cotton, 44 casks spirits turpentine, 205 barrels rosin, 98 barrels tar, 29 barrels crude turpentine.

— Maud—"Belle said the other day when she saw you trying to get up such a desperate flirtation with Youngrox she could hardly keep her countenance." Maym—"She wouldn't if she could help herelf."—*Baltimore American.*

— "I'm so glad to see you," she exclaimed. "Have you been in New York long?" "No. I still have a dollar and a half left."—*Chicago Record-Herald.*

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WILMINGTON MARKET.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 50½c bid per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.30 per barrel for strained and $1.35 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.50 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.00 for dip.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar firm at $1.25; crude turpentine firm at $1.10 @2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	44
Rosin	205
Tar	98
Crude turpentine	29

Receipts same day last year—46 casks spirits turpentine, 543 barrels rosin, 275 barrels tar, 56 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7⅞c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5½ cts. ₱ lb
Good ordinary	6⅞ " "
Low middling	7½ " "
Middling	7⅞ " "
Good middling	8 11-16 " "

Same day last year, market firm at 7⅜c for middling.

Receipts—1,531 bales; same day last year, 1,796.

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N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 21@22c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 10@11c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 60c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Money on call quoted steady at 3@4 per cent.; the market closing offered at 3@4 per ct.; time money steady—60 days 6 per cent., 90 days 6 per cent., six months, 5½ per ct. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per ct. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.25 for demand and 483 50@483.75 for sixty days. The posted rates were 484½ and 488. Commercial bills 482.75@483.25. Bar silver 47½. Mexican dollars 37. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds were easy. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 108½; U. S. refunding 3's, coupon, 108¾; U. S. 3's, registered, 107¾; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new registered, 135½; do. coupon, 135½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 109¾; do. coupon, 109½; U. S. 5's, registered, 103¾; do. coupon, 104½; Southern Railway, 5's, 118¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 98¾. Chesapeake & Ohio 45¼; Manhattan L 156¼; New York Central 154½; Reading 59¾; do. 1st preferred 86; do. 2nd preferred 74¾; St. Paul 176¼; do. pref'd, 190; Southern Railway 32½; do. pref'd 92; Amalgamated Copper ex dividend 58¾; People's Gas 101¼; Sugar 120; Tennessee Coal and Iron 56½; U. S. Leather 12¾; do. pref'd, 88¾; Western Union 87⅞; U. S. Steel 36¼; do. pref'd 83¾; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 61½; do. preferred, 124; Standard Oil, 660@663.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 29.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 26¾@27; do. preferred, 46 asked; bonds, fours, 84 asked.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Rosin firm. Strained common to good $1 75@177½. Spirits turpentine firm at 53½@54c.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 29.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 29.—Spirits turpentine firm, quoted at 51c; receipts 2,010 casks; sales 937 casks; exports 736 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 3,836 barrels; sales 1,145 barrels; exports 7,092 barrels Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 40; E, $1 45; F, $1 50; G, $1 60; H, $1 80; I, $2 05; K $2 55; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 15.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of two points to an advance of one point, cables showing up in better shape than had been expected in view of the weakness shown by our market yesterday. Private cables indicated uneasiness in Europe as to the showing to be made by the crop report of the Agricultural Department next Wednesday. Business was very slack at New York this morning and the professional traders started in to raid the market, but changed front again on indications of light receipts, Houston estimating four to five thousand bales for Monday against 8,677 last week. The bears claimed that the light receipts were due to bad weather and a scarcity of motive power. There is, however, at present little disposition to sell for short account in view of the recent bad weather which many believe had also fixed the limit of top crop growth, leaving the climatic conditions to bear only upon the question of picking work and the flow of receipts. There was a four point rally soon after the call which was helped by advices of firm spot markets in the South and indications that the local market was having support in the way of demand from spot houses for the nearer positions.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Cotton quiet at 8.55c; net receipts 343 bales; gross receipts 5,249 bales; stock 96,599 bales.

Spot cotton market closed quiet; middling uplands 8.55; middling gulf 8 80c; sales — bales.

Futures closed quiet: December 8.35, Jan'ry 8.33, February 8.26, March 8.27, April 8 27, May 8.27, June 8.27, July 8.29, August 8 13.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 65,217 bales; exports to Great Britain 11,348 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 6,150 bales; stock 1,038,893 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 65,317 bales; exports to Great Britain 11,348 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 6,150 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 3 632,970 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,020,748 bales exports to France 368,693 bales, exports to the Continent 1,074 998 bales.

Nov. 29.—Galveston, steady at 8 3-16, net receipts 10 689 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 8 3-16, net receipts 2,519 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, nominal at 8.55, net receipts 32 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 1,531 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8.80, net receipts 149 bales; Savannah, steady at 7⅞c, net receipts 9,652 bales; New Orleans, nominal at 8c, net receipts 29,023 bales; Mobile, nominal at 7 15-16, net receipts 3,040 bales; Memphis, steady at 8c, net receipts 2,290 bales; Augusta, quiet at 8 3-16c, net receipts 2,600 bales; Charleston, quiet at 7¾c, net receipts 674 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Flour was quiet but steady; Minnesota patents $3 90@4 15; Winter patents $3 90@4 15. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 79½c. Options closed easy and ½c net lower: May closed 79⅝c; December closed 80¼c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 64c. Options closed easy and ¼c net lower. Sales included: January closed 52¾; May closed 47¾c; July closed 46½c; November closed —c; December closed 59½c. Oats—Spot quiet, No. 2, 36c. Options dull and steady; December closed 37c Lard—Market dull; Western steam $11 25; refined lard steady; continent $11 40; South American $11 75; compound 7¼@7¾. Pork steady; family $19 00@19 25; short clear $21 00@23 00; mess $18 00@18 50. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5 3-16c; mild quiet; Cordova 7¾@12c. Tallow dull; city ($2 per package) 6½c; country (packages free) 6½@6¾c. Rice firm, domestic, fair to extra 4¼@6¼c; Japan 4¼@5c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3¾; centrifugal, 96 test 3¾; confectioner's $4 60; mould A $5 00; cut loaf $5 35; crushed $5 35; powdered $4 85; granulated $4 75; cubes $5 00; refined firm. Butter firm, extra creamery 28½c; State dairy 16@18c. Cheese firm; new State full cream, small colored and white 12¾@13c. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 5c; other domestic 3½@5¼. Cabbages easy; Long Island per 100 $1 00@1 75. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 12c. Eggs steady; State and Pennsylvania average best 28½c. Cotton seed oil dull but firmly held on spot and nearby delivery. Closing quotations were: Prime crude here nominal; prime crude f. o. b. mills 28@29c; prime summer yellow 36½@37; off summer yellow 35½@36c; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40½; prime meal $26 50@27, nominal.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Dullness prevailed to-day on the board of trade and prices in general were lower. December wheat closed 1c and May ½c lower. December corn closed 1c down and oats ½c@¾c lower. January provisions closed unchanged to 2½c lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Cash prices: Flour quoted quiet: winter patents $3 50; straights $3 10@3 40; spring patents $3 40@3 70; straights $3 90@3 20; bakers' $2 25@2 75. Wheat—No 2 spring 72@74½c; No 3 spring 68@74½; No. 2 red 73¼@74½c. Corn—No. 2 54c; No. 2 yellow 54½c. Oats—No. 2 31@31½c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 30@31c. Mess pork, per barrel, quoted at $16 75. Lard, per 100 lbs, $10 60@10 65. Short rib sides, loose, $8 87½@9 12½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 37½@9 60. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 75@9 00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December 74¾, 74½, 73½, 73¾@73¾c; May 76¾, 76¾, 75½@75¾, 75¾c. Corn—No. 2 November 55¼, 55¼, 53¾, 53¾c; December 55, 55¼, 53¼, 54c; May 43, 43½@43¾, 42¾, 42¾@42¾c. Oats—No 2 December, new, 31¾, 31½, 30¾, 30¾c; May 32¼, 32⅝@32¾, 32, 32½c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $15 90, 16 10, 15 85, 15 85; May $15 05, 15 10, 14 95, 14 95. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $10 07½, 10 10, 10 05, 10 05; January $9 57, 9 60, 9 50, 9 52½; May $8 93¾, 8 93½, 8 80, 8 83¾. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $8 25, 8 37½, 8 17½, 8 17½; May $8 06¾, 8 07½, 8 00, 8 00.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 29.—Cotton: Spot in limited demand, prices unchanged to two points lower; American middling fair 5.10d; good middling 4.64d; middling 4.52d; low middling 4.42d; good ordinary 4.30d; ordinary 4.18d. The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 200 bales were for speculation and export and included 3,000 bales American. Receipts 26,000 bales, including 23,800 bales American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady; American middling (g. o. c.) December 4.47@4.48d; December and January 4.46; January and February 4.45@4.46d; February and March 4.45@4.46d; March and April 4.4@4.46d; April and May 4.45@4.46d; May and June 4.46d; June and July 4.46d; July and August 4.46d.

MARINE.

CLEARED.

Stmr A P Hurt, Robeson, Fayetteville, James Madden.

Schr Lizzie H Patrick, Henderson, Providence, by master.

British steamship Zambesi, Rooney, Liverpool, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Clyde steamship Geo W Clyde, Chichester, Providence and New York, H G Smallbones.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

PROVIDENCE—Schr Lizzie H Patrick, 353,000 feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Co; vessel by master.

FOREIGN.

LIVERPOOL—British steamship Zambesi, 13,900 bales cotton, 6,882,319 pounds, valued at $585,000; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

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List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 30

STEAMSHIPS.

Lillie, (Br) 311 tons, Davis, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Harbart, (Br) 2,149 tons, Bowling, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Hermiston, (Br) 2,889 tons, Bain, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Mountby, (Br) 2,113 tons, Payne, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Frederick Roessner, 326 tons, Cory, George Harriss, Son & Co.

R W Hopkins, 829 tons, Richborn, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Estelle, 489 tons, Hutchenson, George Harriss, Son & Co.

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$ 739,001 59	Capital stock	$ 217,200 00
U. S. Bonds	257,00 00	Profits less expenses	54,402 81
Five per cent redemption fund	7,500 00	Circulation	156,950 00
Bank Building	30,000 00	Deposits, Banks	534,573 93
Cash on hand and in banks	573,188 02	Deposits, Individual	654,063 37
	$1,606,989 61		1,178,637 30 / $1,606,989 61

Comparative statement deposits,

November 25th, 1899	$393,893 44	November 26th, 1901	$686 249 6
November 25th, 1900	417 496 10	November 25th, 1902	1,178 637 3

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KALIKAI of HILO

By MARY WOOD...

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The applause had not yet died away. Across the footlights the slender figure of the Hawaiian leader still bowed in acknowledgment. Animated, eager, he furnished a curious contrast to the apathy of his fellow singers. His dark eyes rapidly scanned the circling tiers. Slowly, slowly, the light of expectancy died from his face. He shrank back, and the contrast was gone. He had sunk to their level, a paid singer in a foreign land.

The stringed instruments twanged. The picturesque figures in snowy white and red sashes swayed slightly to the plaintive melody as they sang, always softly, always as an echo from a far-away land.

Kalikai sang listlessly. The glare of the footlights hurt his eyes. He coughed occasionally, and a dull pain woke in his chest. But worse than physical discomfort was the ache at his heart. This audience of cold, unfeeling people

A WOMAN'S CRY OF TERROR RANG OUT ABOVE THE APPLAUSE.

—how he hated them! This cold and bleak country—how he hated it! Oh, for the sunshine and the flowers, the dancing and the light laughter of his island home!

His face softened as he thought of it—the blue sea foaming against jagged rocks, the blue sky cut by peaks as jagged, the rustling palm trees above the gleam of yellow sand, the scents of the warm night and the dancers wreathed in flowers. One of them, a dark eyed girl, had flung a wreath round his neck. She loved him. He had thought he loved her, but that was before the other came.

He was singing alone now, and an unconscious feeling crept into his voice. The song was the same he had sung over a year ago to the fair American girl. He had taught her the song, and she had taught him what love was. Again he was bending nearer and nearer, while his eyes told the story his lips dared not speak. Then the bitter year of seeking! Ah, he would remember only the golden days that came before!

He was silent as the others echoed the refrain softly, and his ear caught a rustle in one of the boxes. Mechanically his eyes followed the sound. A party of three had just entered—a gray haired, distinguished looking man, a plump, comfortable matron and a third. Kalikai trembled. He knew them all. And the third, the golden haired girl, was the lady of his dreams. Even as he looked her eyes, as if attracted, met his, and a quick wave of color rose to the masses of curls. She recognized him, was glad to see him!

Again he must sing. As he began the Hawaiians turned in surprise. Listlessness and hesitancy were forgotten with the audience. He sang for her, and his eyes never left her face. His voice was vibrant with tenderness as he sang of the weary search, glad and triumphant as he sang of the joy of meeting.

The last notes swelled into silence. But a woman's cry of terror rang out above the applause. Kalikai had fallen forward on his face, and there was a splash of scarlet on the white of his blouse. As they rang the curtain down the golden haired girl heard a voice say: "That's the way all the poor fellows go when they come over here. Consumption gets them sooner or later."

She had risen and was speaking softly, impetuously: "Father, don't you recognize him? It is Kalikai, the young Hawaiian who was so good to us at Hilo. And years ago he taught me that very song. He was so kind to us there when we were strangers in his land, and here he knows no one, and he is ill." Her voice choked, but she went on eagerly: "We must go to him. We may be able to do something for him. No, no! We won't wait. We must go at once, or we may be too late."

She always had been a spoiled child, and so at last they yielded to her wish.

And that is why when Kalikai woke as from a troubled sleep and murmured "Alice!" her face bent over him. She pressed a glass to his lips as she said, with a tremulous smile, "Drink."

He did not question her presence. He lay back and looked at her, and again swift color flashed into her cheeks. Yet even as he looked a shadow fell across his face, for she had changed woefully. It was no longer the girl who had teased and played with him, but a woman whose beauty had somehow hardened in the ripening. There were shadows under the eyes and bitter curves around the mouth that had been absent in his dream pictures. Unconsciously he sighed and closed his eyes. The meeting so long prayed for brought more sadness than joy. Lying there, he did not see her face soften or her eyes shine with tender feeling. With an impetuous movement she bent over and pressed her lips against a lock of the dark hair that lay against the pillow. As she raised her head her face was dyed scarlet with blushes, which faded as her glance fell on a ring on her finger.

She was silent, her hands pressed tightly together.

When at last he opened his eyes and looked at her, she smiled bravely, while her finger motioned him not to speak. Her voice was low, but steady, as she said:

"This is a strange meeting, my friend, after many days, and we have both changed. I have learned many things since we parted. I am married." He started, but she went on hurriedly: "My husband is not here tonight. He seldom is. He is too much absorbed in business. American husbands often are that way. But I am happy, quite happy. My father and mother live with us, and you know how dear they are to me. I am a very fortunate woman. But you—you have changed too. Oh, why did you ever leave your lovely island?"

His eyes told her the reason, but she gave no sign that she could read them.

"You were always happy there. I was happy. Every one was happy. But it is not too late for you. You can go back. Promise me that you will go back, and the warm sunshine will make you strong again, and you will forget this country of cold and mist."

He could not see the storm raging beneath her forced composure. He did not guess why she spoke almost curtly. He only thought that she had grown cold and hard. His dream was shattered.

So he went back to Hawaii and the dark eyed girl who was waiting for him. With her he learned to forget even the pang of lost illusion, and the golden haired American became but a pretty memory.

An Old Rosebush.

As long ago as the year 822 Hildesheim is mentioned in history. In that year we are told Louis the Pious, Charlemagne's son and successor, made it the seat of the bishopric intended by his father to be established at the neighboring town of Elze. Less than a century before Charlemagne had brought the heathen Saxons into subjection and Christianity was yet new in the land. Gunther, the first bishop, had been canon at the cathedral at Reims. Three years after his elevation to the new episcopal see he consecrated the first chapel, naming it in honor of the Virgin Mary. The chapel is supposed to have occupied the site under the present cathedral, where the crypt of the new church is built.

A pretty rosebush that now clings to the outer wall of the cathedral choir is said by tradition to have grown there since the days of Louis the Pious himself. In the twelfth century, when the choir and crypt were being enlarged, a protecting hollow wall was built around the rosebush in order that the vine might continue to grow about the building when the new wall had been completed. A bit of the old arching may be seen behind the altar in the crypt. This is the present voucher for the great age of the rosebush, and it must be admitted that many traditions repose upon a less solid foundation.

Seasonable Declaration.

Now is the time when we expect to meet
The ruffled shirt waist man upon the street;
But, though he is befrilled and loudly truffled,
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A False Sign.

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At His Feet.

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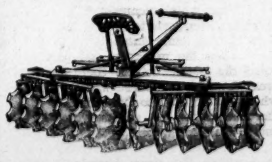

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For sale by all good Druggists. R. R. BELLAMY can supply the trade with TEETHINA at Dr. Moffett's prices. je 3 1y

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

Schedule in Effect Nov. 22.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington at 3:22 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5:44 P. M., Pembroke 6:10 P. M., Maxton 6:40 P. M., Hamlet 7:25 P. M., Charlotte 10:20 P. M.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:0 1A. M., Hamlet at 8:20 A. M., arrives Maxton 9:10 A. M., Pembroke 9:43 A. M., Lumberton 10 08 A. M., Wilmington 12.30 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	9 45 p m	7.40 a m
Ar Monroe	11 21 a m	9.15 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.30 a m
Ar Chester	12.51 a m	12.30 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.05 a m	12.37 p m
Ar Athens	3 52 a m	2 56 p m
Ar Atlanta	7.35 a m	4.00 p m

Close connection at Atlanta for Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans and all points in Texas, Mexico and California; also for Chattanooga, Nashville, Louisville, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago, and Western and Northwestern points.

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	9.45 p m	7.35 a m
Ar Columbia	1.18 a m	11.30 a m
Ar Savannah	2.35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Jacksonville	7.00 a m	9.15 p m
Ar Tampa	6.45 p m	6.00 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	7.50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.10 a m
Ar Norlina	3.32 a m	1.35 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.40 a m 7.53 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 30 a m	11.45 a m 11.10 a m
Ar Norlina	3.32 a m	1.35 a m 1.35 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.53 a m	4.07 p m 4.47 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m 5.40 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.30 p m .....
Ar Baltimore	11.35 a m	11.25 p m .....
Ar New York	4.15 p m	3.30 a m .....

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.25 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 9.05 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.15 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 85, leaving Atlanta 1.00 p. m.; Athens 2.57 p. m.; Chester 4.15 a. m.; Charlotte 5.01 a. m.; Monroe 8.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.30 a. m.

From train 86 leaving Jacksonville 4.30 p. m.; Savannah 12.10 p. m.; Columbia 2.55 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 8.20 a. m.

Through Pullman sleepers from Hamlet to all points North, South and Southwest.

For tickets, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to Thomas D. Meares, General Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

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Consolidated Railways,

LIGHT AND POWER CO.

SUBURBAN LINE.

Winter Schedule, in Effect November 25th, 1902.

LEAVE FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS

At 7:00, 9:00, *10:00, 11:00 A. M. *12:00, 1:00, *2:00, 3:00, *4:00, 5:00, *6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 P. M.

LEAVE WRIGHTSVILLE FOR WILMINGTON.

At 8:00, 10:00, *11:00 A. M. 12:00, *1:00, 2:30, *3:30, 4:30, *5:30, 6:30, *6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 P. M.

LEAVE WRIGHTSVILLE FOR OCEAN VIEW.

At 9:30, *10:30, 11:30 A. M. *12:30, 1:30, *2:30 3:30, *4:40, 5:30 P. M.

LEAVE OCEAN VIEW.

At 9:45, *10:45, 11:45 A. M. *12:45, 2:15, *3:15, 4:15, 5:15, *5:45 P. M.

*Sunday only.
†Freight and passenger—daily except Sunday.
Regular Freight Cars leave Ninth and Orange streets at 4:00 P. M. Returning, leaves Wrightsville at 5:30 P. M.

CITY LINE.

Leave Front and Princess streets daily, except Sunday, every ten minutes from 7:30 A. M. to midnight.

SUNDAY.

Every ten minutes from 8:30 A. M. to midnight.

S. A. L. CAR.

Leave Fourth and Brunswick streets daily every ten minutes from 11:55 A. M. to 12:05 P. M. and from 2:35 P. M. to 2:55 P. M.

CEMETERY CARS.

Leave Tenth and Princess streets every day every half hour from 2:00 P. M. to 5:30 P. M. Last car leaves Cemetery 5:35 P. M.

DELGADO AND GOLF LINKS.

Cars leave Tenth and Princess streets every day and every half hour from 2:10 P. M. to 5:40 P. M. Last car leaves Golf Links at 5:50 P. M.

CHARTERED CARS

Frunished on three hours' notice over any part of the City or Suburban Line from $5.00 to $15.00, according to the service.

A. B. SKELDING,
oct 4 tf Gen'l Manager.

REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC National Bank, of Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, November 25, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,162,406 63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		940 32
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		98,100 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		173,800 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		18,669 63
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		20,000 00
Other Real Estate owned		10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		91,851 63
Due from State Banks and Bankers		115,906 29
Due from approved reserve agents		106,304 86
Notes of other National Banks	$10,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	1,854 16	
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$34,545 00	
Legal tender notes	101,200 00	147,599 16
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent. of circulation)		4,700 00
Total		$1,945,078 52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 135,000 00
Surplus fund	$135,000 00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	35,737 08	100,737 08
National Bank notes outstanding		96,100 00
Due to other National Banks	271,883 09	
Due to State Banks and Bankers	267,541 20	
Dividends unpaid	292 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	801,959 99	
Certified checks	4,696 30	
Cashier's checks outstanding	44,887 56	
United States deposits	173,800 00	1,564,321 44
Total		$1,945,078 52

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, Andrew Moreland, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ANDREW MORELAND, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1902.

W. C. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
C. W. YATES,
B. A. PARSLEY,
GEO. R. FRENCH,
Directors.

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New Goods.

FIRST PAT. FLOUR,

Second Pat. Flour,

Straight Flour.

RICE, SUGAR, COFFEE, CANNED GOODS, SOAP, STARCH, &c., &c.

Special attention to consignments.

S. P. McNAIR.
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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule in Effect Sept. 15, 1902.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. — No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.25 A. M., Lanes 11.25 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. — No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.20 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.40 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.55 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. — No. 45—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.31 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M. Weldon 4.55 P. M., Petersburg 5.40 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 8.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.35 A. M., Philadelphia 4.05 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., *Boston 3.35 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M — No. 63—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. — No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.08 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M., Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M. Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M. Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 3.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 12.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Due Magnolia 8.32 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M. Weldon 1.50 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.10 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. — No. 41—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. — No 52—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. — No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY ‖5.45 P M — No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson

DAILY 8.00 P M — No. 52—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 P M — No. 50—From Charleston. Florence.

PULLMAN Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington on trains Nos. 40 and 41.

W. J. CRAIG,
Gen'l Passenger Agent

T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.
H. M. EMERSON, Assis't Traffic Manager.
jy 31 tf

Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST.			GOING WEST.	
2 Pass'r Trains		STATIONS.	4 Pass'r Trains	
Arrive	Leave		Arrive	Leave
	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
5 45	4 35	Kinston	10 12	9 00
† 08	5 50	Newbern	8 27	† 20
P. M.	P. M.	Morehead City	A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and Intermediate points.

Train 2 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 5.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, NOV. 30.

OHIO MOB ATTEMPTS TO LYNCH A WHITE MAN.

Attacked the Jail at Ironton, But the Sheriff and His Deputies Prevented the Proposed Lynching.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

IRONTON, O., Nov. 29.—Shortly before 3 o'clock this morning a mob attempted to take William Glasco, the assailant of Mary Maloney from the county jail, but was prevented by the sheriff and a force of special deputies. The mob was forming for an attack when Glasco was spirited away in a carriage. It is believed he was taken in a round-about way to the Portsmouth jail.

Glasco admitted assaulting Miss Maloney and said is was done in revenge for her brother striking him. The girl is in a serious condition. Glasco knocked her down by a blow on the head but fled when her screams brought help. He was traced by bloodhounds.

A mob assembled last night and selected fifty men as leaders in a general movement on the armory and jail. At the armory they demanded the keys of Captain Thompson, who was in charge of the militia, so that they could secure the man. On being refused they opened fire with revolvers and Captain Thompson narrowly escaped. When the mob found it could do nothing at the armory it moved on the jail. The sheriff refused the demand for the keys. Then the mob moved off, to secure battering rams with which to break into the jail, and the sheriff at once spirited the prisoner away out of the rear of the jail and escaped. All is comparatively quiet to-night.

UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT.

To Hold Up and Rob a Train at Independence, Mo.—A Brakeman Shot by the Robbers.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Nov. 26.—Two men made an unsuccessful attempt to hold up the east bound Chicago and Alton passenger train which left here for St. Louis at 9 o'clock to-night, at the Alton station at Independence, a secluded spot in the eastern suburbs of that town. The train had stopped at the station and the two men, armed with rifles, boarded the rear end of the train there. As the train was pulling out at 10 o'clock the men covered a brakeman with their rifles and commanded him to throw up his hands. The brakeman refused to obey and one of the bandits shot him in the leg. The report of the firing was heard by other trainmen, who hurried to the rear end of the train. The two robbers were evidently disconcerted by the turn events had taken and becoming frightened at the approach of the trainmen leaped from the train before it had gained much headway. The work of the bandits was very crude, and they evidently were amateurs in train robbing. They were not masked and the injured brakeman was able to give the police a good description of them. Officers are scouring the country with every prospect of capturing the robbers.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Mrs. Hattie L. Whitten Arrested in Dexter, Me.—Accused of Poisoning Her Two Children.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DEXTER, ME., Nov. 29.—Mrs. Hattie L. Whitten, whose husband died two years ago, her 11-year old daughter Fannie last September, and her 9-year old daughter Jennie yesterday, was arrested to-day on the specific charge of having poisoned the second child. Both the little girls were insured, the elder for $85 and the younger for $56.

The arrest followed the holding of an autopsy on the body of the second child immediately after the funeral today. The physicians discovered strong evidence of arsenic and strychnine, and when this was reported to the county attorney a coroner's jury was empannelled. The jury found a verdict to the effect that death was due to poisoning administered by the girl's mother.

The body of the first child was exhumed and an autopsy held, but the result was not made public. The death certificates give the cause of Fannie's death as meningitis and that of Jennie's as heart-failure.

ACCIDENT ON THE TEXAS.

One of the Hydraulic Cylinders Cracked While at Target Practice.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A report from Captain Swinburne, commander of the Texas, touching the accident on board the vessel yesterday while at target practice off the Virginia capes, states that one of the hydraulic cylinders which returns the gun to battery was cracked because it had been left filled with water when the gun was discharged. The ordnance officers expect that this will not delay the ship long, they having a spare cylinder on board.

At Providence, R. I., yesterday Henry Crotchford, an itinerent negro banjo player, shot and killed Elsie Lewis, colored; probably fatally wounded Mabel Nixon, colored, and then fired a shot into his own brain, dying instantly. Jealousy is said to have been the motive for the tragedy.

Justice Fitzgerald in the Supreme Court of New York, has granted a writ calling for a review by the Supreme Court of the evidence on which Fire Chief Croker was dismissed from office by Commissioner Sturgis. The justice also granted a stay restraining the chief's removal from office pending the court proceedings.

A Runaway Bicycle,

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, of Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn Ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

ARMY AND NAVY FOOTBALL GAME.

In No Way Scientific, But As a Society Event It Was a Gigantic Success.

WON BY ARMY--SCORE 22 TO 8.

Twenty Thousand People Saw the Game. Many Distinguished Guests and Prominent Citizens—Miss Roosevelt. Grover Cleveland--Others.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—In the fourth contest on Franklin field between the football elevens representing the army and navy to-day the young tars were decisively beaten by the land lubbers by the score of 22 to 8. The first half ended with the score of ten to eight in favor of the West Point lads. The latter had made two touch downs, neither of which resulted in a goal, while Annapolis scored a touch-down on a sensational run of sixty-two yards by Strassberger, which forced Daly of West Point back to his goal line for safety. In the second half West Point's goal was never in danger, while they duplicated their performance in the first half and kicked two goals.

As a football contest it may, without speaking disparagingly of either team be called mediocre, but as a society event in footballdom it was a gigantic success. Probably twenty thousand people were present. Distinguished guests from both fighting departments of the government and prominent citizens from nearly every section of the United States. Former President Grover Cleveland and Mrs. Cleveland occupied a box on the army side and close to them sat Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of President Roosevelt, the cynosure of all eyes and upon whom every attention was showered. The box occupied by Miss Roosevelt was directly in front of the section occupied by the West Point cadets. Her sympathy was plainly with the Army boys but perchance as a balm for navy lads she was becomingly attired in a navy blue gown. The President was prevented from attending the game because of the press of official business and Secretary Root of the War Department was unable to be present on account of the serious illness of his father-in law. He was represented by First Assistant Secretary Sanger, who looked after the Washington guests. In a box close to that occupied by Miss Roosevelt were Major Generals Young and Chaffee and Adjutant General Corbin. They were the guests of Clement A. Griscom, of this city. General Chaffee was particularly elated over the success of the young men who will in a few years direct the operations of Uncle Sam's land forces. It was the first football contest General Chaffee had witnessed since his return from the Philippines. General John C. Bates, commander of the department of the Missouri, also occupied a box.

Between the halves Miss Roosevelt held an impromptu reception and shook hands with many friends. A great crowd congregated in front of the box anxious to catch a glimpse of the daughter of the nation's chief executive.

At the conclusion of the first half Generals Corbin and Chaffee walked across the field to the Navy side and condoled with Secretary Moody, who occupied a box with Congressmen Adams of Pennsylvania and Gillette of Massachusetts. In a box adjoining that of Secretary Moody were Admirals Sands, Mrs. Sands and their daughter.

The scene at the close of the game was thrilling and spectacular.

At the sound of the referee's whistle announcing the close of the contest the supporters of both institutions rushed to the soggy field and time and again the bands marched around the big grounds, followed by students cheering wildly. Finally, the West Pointers halted in front of the east goal. A cadet climbed the goal post and planted an Army flag at the top of the twenty-foot uprighi. Not to be outdone by their victorious brethren, the Navy boys made a rush for the same goal, and in a moment two Orange and Blue flags floated defiantly from the top of the other goal post.

As far as scientific football was concerned the game was a failure, but at the same time there were one or two sensational runs. Strassberger's sixty-two yard dash for a touchdown was brilliant, and Daly's running back of kicks was little short of marvelous, but the safety of the Navy was due to bad judgment on his part. He caught the ball on West Point's goal line and notwithstanding that both Soule and Whiting were upon him he started to run the ball out. As a consequence he was pushed back and thrown behind the goal. For a time the Annapolis boys held fairly well, but the heavy Army guns on the light craft soon began to have its effect and before the close of the contest the Navy had in an almost entire substitute eleven. Daly out-kicked Belknap by twenty yards to each exchange and had he used a little better judgment the Annapolis boys would probably have not scored. When Strassberger got through the West Point center on a threadbare fake, Daly failed to catch him, missing the tackle by a foot. His dive for the Navy half-back was badly timed, an unusual performance on the part of West Point's star quarter.

AFFAIRS IN VENEZUELA.

Barcelona Reoccupied by Government Revolutionists Demoralized.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CARACAS, VENEZUELA, Nov. 29.—A force of government troops numbering thirty-one hundred, under Generals Velutini and Olivares, re-occupied Barcelona on the morning of November 26th. The revolutionists, commanded by General Pablo Guzman and General Rolando, who joined them last week with only 260 men, abandoned the city before the arrival of the government troops.

The re-capture by President Castro's troops of Barcelona, which the revolutionists have been representing as impregnable, is taken here as further proof of the demoralization of the revolution.

The government troops continued their march upon Ciudad Bolivar.

After a trial of two weeks in the United States district court in Charlotte, N. C., of Major M. Breeze, the alleged Asheville bank wrecker, the case was given to the jury at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Up to midnight the jury had failed to agree on a verdict and a mistrial is being predicted.

For Whooping Cough use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

COURT'S DECISION IN VIRGINIA TEST CASE.

Suits Dismissed on the Ground That the Court Had No Jurisdiction—An Appeal Will Be Taken.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 29.—The argument in the proceedings of Mr. John S. Wise to invalidate the new Virginia constitution was resumed in the U. S. Circuit Court here this morning, Chief Justice Fuller sitting with Judge Waddill. Attorney General Anderson spoke for the Commonwealth, addressing himself largely to the point raised by complainants that the State was barred from restricting the suffrage as it had done by the reconstruction acts. He was followed by James Hayes, colored, of counsel for complainants, who made a strong plea for the rights of his race. This afternoon the court dismissed both suits, on the ground that it had no jurisdiction, the actions being against the State. An appeal will be taken. All the questions of the Chief Justice indicated that virtually every contention raised by complainants had been passed upon adversely by the Supreme Court.

Opinions of the Court.

The decree of the Circuit Court of the United States in the proceeding to test the Virginia constitution, as announced by Chief Justice Fuller, is as follows:

"Application for prohibition, prohibiting defendants from canvassing returns of the election held November 4th, 1902, for Representatives in Congress, or proceeding to act on the same, and for preliminary order suspending proceedings on the part of the State board of canvassers. The rule heretofore entered herein is discharged, and preliminary order denied. This for want of jurisdiction. The writ is not sought in aid of jurisdiction already acquired; nor does it appear that there is no other remedy.

"The proceeding, in effect, is against the commonwealth, which is not in any view an indispensable party, and cannot be made such; and the matter being political cannot be disposed of in such a proceeding."

Judge Waddill, who sat with the chief justice, concurred in the decree, but delivered an opinion of his own, as follows:

"Believing, under the decisions of the courts of the United States, by which this court is and should be governed, that neither of the actions now before the court can be maintained, I for that reason concur in the result arrived at by the chief justice, dismissing the same, and may hereafter file a brief memorandum in writing embodying my views.

"It is, in frankness, due, however, that I should say that while I believe that this is the law, as settled by decisions, it does not entirely embody my personal views as to what the law ought to be. I can but believe that as to rights arising under and guaranteed to the citizen by the constitution and laws of the United States, injuriously affecting one hundred thousand people, whether respecting their property or their personal or political rights, and particularly the two latter classes, that they ought to be given a day in court, afforded an opportunity for a full and speedy hearing, and to that end, that technicalities, forms and ceremonies should, in large measure, be dispensed with, speedy justice afforded, and the rights of the respective parties litigant ascertained."

Certificates to Congressmen.

The State Board of Canvassers met immediately after the adjournment of the United States court this afternoon, and awarded certificates to the ten congressmen recently elected, including Campbell Slemp, Republican, in the Ninth district, whose majority was found on final canvass of the vote to be 218. A certificate was also issued to Carter Glass, elected in the Sixth district to filled the unexpired term of the late Peter J. Otey.

WARM WIRELETS

George I. Cunningham, United States marshal for the district of South Carolina, died yesterday, aged sixty-seven.

Four men were killed, three fatally and five seriously injured by an explosion of gas in the Luke Fidler colliery at Shamoken, Pa., yesterday.

James Johnson, general manager of the Mexican International railroad, has resigned, after nineteen years of service. He has been with the road from its inception.

Fire yesterday morning practically destroyed the stock and business house of M. L. Ross and Company, wholesale grocers, Knoxville, Tenn. Loss $100,000 covered by insurance.

The funeral of Colonel Thomas P. Ochiltree was held in New York yesterday. A solemn requiem mass was celebrated at the Church of the Paulist Fathers and the body was placed in a vault at Calvary cemetery.

An Electrical Union Workers' strike is imminent in Asheville, N. C., and according to present indications will go into effect Monday. The union is demanding $1.50 per day for new linemen and $2.00 per day for old linemen.

The quarantine department of Canada has ordered that owing to the outbreak of foot and mouth disease in the United States all cattle entering Canada from the Eastern States shall be cleaned and thoroughly disinfected at the border.

The statement of the associated banks for five days shows: Loans increased $11,608,800; deposits, increased $8,120,700; circulation, increased $95,100; legal tenders, increased $356,800; specie, decrease $2,067,800; surplus reserve, decreased $8,743,675.

At Cullman, Ala., Charlie King, aged sixteen years, shot and almost instantly killed his father. It is said the elder King came home intoxicated and gave his wife a severe beating. Young King then secured a double barrelled shot-gun and emptied both barrels into his father's head.

In the case in the Chesterfield, Va., circuit court of Hawks, colored, against the Atlantic Coast Line, for not being permitted to go into the car for colored people, under the Jim Crow law, a verdict was rendered in favor of the railroad, it being shown that Hawks in appearance is a full blooded white man, and that he did not inform the conductor that he is colored.

— "She's jest a-breakin' that poor boy's heart!" "Why—what's she been a-doing' now?" "Went to the hog-killin' with another feller, an' now she's refused to be in his comp'ny to the hangin'!"—*Chicago News.*

— Mrs. A.—I never saw any one so nervy as that woman next door. Why, she actually wanted to borrow a flatiron to throw at a cat. Mrs. Z.—That was rather nervy. Mrs. A.—Yes; and it was my cat.—*Philadelphia Press.*

Ordinary cough remedies are dangerous to give babies. Anway's Croup Syrup is made for children's coughs and croup and colds and will certainly cure them. Ask to see testimonials. 25 cents at Robert R. Bellamy's. †

BOILER EXPLOSION IN SWIFT'S PLANT.

Thirteen Lives Were Lost and Scores of Employes, Visitors and Others Injured.

FIRE FOLLOWED EXPLOSION.

Adjoining Buildings Wrecked—Men, Women and Boys Hurled Through Windows to Ground—Bodies Torn, Bruised and Mangled Badly.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—With a deafening report a boiler in Swift & Co.'s plant exploded shortly after 10 o'clock this morning. Thirteen lives were sacrificed and scores of employes, visitors and others were injured. Huge boilers were sent through the roof of the structure and hurled hundreds of feet. Nobody within the boiler room survived to tell the story of the accident, and it may never be known what caused the explosion. A careful investigation to-day, however, convinced the experts that the explosion was the result of carelessness on the part of an employe, whose own life was sacrificed. Five minutes after the explosion nothing of the building but a pile of twisted iron, bricks and mortar remained.

Adjoining Buildings Wrecked.

Sheets of flames sprang from the ruins and the spectators realized that it would be impossible to save the lives of those who were caught in the wreck. The explosion was of such force that adjoining buildings were wrecked, torn and twisted like toys. Men, women and boys at work in adjoining departments were hurled through windows to the ground below. Many of them escaped with but slight injuries but most of the victims were hurt to such an extent that it was necessary to remove them to hospitals. Others were taken to their homes.

It was rumored that from fifty to one hundred persons had been caught in the wrecked building. This report caused great excitement and repeated calls were sent for police and ambulances. A dozen patrol wagons and as many ambulances were sent from all parts of the city.

Fire Engines at Work.

Extra calls for fire engines followed and soon the flames were being fought from every side. While the fire was still burning, police, firemen and employes of the packing firms began digging in the ruins. Soon the mangled remains of a man were discovered and at the same time other rescuers were digging with desperation to rescue several victims who were still alive.

Bodies, torn, bruised and mangled were taken from the ruins and sent to the morgues. A boy, scalded from head to foot and bleeding from cuts and bruises, staggered toward the office of the general superintendent, O. O. Young. The boy was Mr. Young's special messenger. The lad, however, had been so badly disfigured that Mr. Young did not recognize him.

Many theories were advanced as to the responsibility for the disaster. The inspector decided that the explosion had been caused by cold water injected into the boiler, but a majority of investigators held the opinion that the catastrophe had been caused by low water. Nothing was learned, however, and as all the men in the boiler room were killed, it is not likely the cause of the accident will ever be known.

It is not thought that the loss to Swift & Company will amount to more than $50,000.

FILIPINO NAMES.

Many Have Their Origin Explained by Fanciful Legends.

Many Filipino names have had their origin explained by fanciful legends and traditions. Every name has a meaning.

Jaro is called by uneducated Visayans Salog, which means cup. The legend which purports to give the derivation of this name dates back to the time when the monkeys and parrots ruled the islands. Once there was a great drought, and there was no place where water was to be found in all the mountains. So scouts were sent out to look for water, and they traveled many miles until they came to a spot where the river flowed all the year and where food was always plenty. They took a cup of water to prove their find and went back to their companions, who journeyed to the water and called the place Salog, or cup. When the babes adopted by the monkeys after the slaughter at Iloilo grew up and possessed the land, they retained the name.

Lyncod in Visayan means "sit down." The town of Lyncod, thirty miles from Iloilo, is said to have received its name because the first settlers were climbing the mountain when they became tired and said, "Let us sit down." They sat down where the town now stands and found the place so agreeable that they remained and built the town.

Hard Luck For an Actress.

Perhaps one of the most trying contretemps that occurred on the American stage, writes Julia Marlowe, overtook a sister artist of mine when she was giving the first performance of a serious and elaborate play in an important American city. In the great emotional scene the sister of the character played by my friend falls at her feet in a passion of tears and entreaties. The heroine stoops to raise the stricken creature and in tones that unite pleading and command cries, "Get up, Anne; get up!"

On the evening in question one of that breed of imp children, a gallery boy, amid the deathlike silence which followed the great outburst, clucked twice, after the manner of one starting a horse. It would have been a phenomenally self restrained audience that could have resisted such a lapse from the sublime to the ridiculous. The scene went to pieces, the curtain was rung down, and the actress sought her dressing room in a gale of hysterics.—Saturday Evening Post.

His Failings.

Bliffkins is always talking about how smart he is. It is his worst failing."

"Not by a good deal."

"What does he do worse than that?"

"He talks about how smart his baby is."—San Francisco Bulletin.

At the Wrong Shop.

Patient—The trouble with me is that I can't sleep. Yet I am always as hungry as a wolf and work like a horse.

Doctor—You had better consult a veterinary.—New York Times.

A Sure Thing.

"I wonder if he knows my sister has money."

"Has he proposed?"

"He has."

"He does."—New York Herald.

A FAMOUS HIGHWAY.

The Cumberland Road, Which Was Projected by Henry Clay.

The most remarkable highway built in the United States early in the nineteenth century was the so called Cumberland road, which was to extend from Cumberland, Md., through southwestern Pennsylvania, over the Alleghany mountains to the Ohio at Wheeling, W. Va., and then on to St. Louis. It was so well constructed that it is a good road today. Henry Clay was its projector and chief supporter, and his services in its behalf are commemorated by a monument near Wheeling. We are told by letters written at that period that "there were sometimes twenty gayly painted four horse coaches each way daily. The cattle and sheep were never out of sight, and canvas covered wagons were drawn by six to twelve horses."

On this great road, which eventually passed into the hands of the states through which it runs, the government expended no less a sum than $7,000,000. Within a mile of it on either side the country was a wilderness, but on the highway itself the traffic was as dense as in the main street of a large town. Ten miles an hour was the usual speed for coaches. From Baltimore to Wheeling ran lines of freight wagons, which carried ten tons, drawn by twelve horses and with wheels ten feet in diameter.—Pearson's Magazine.

Curious Migrations.

In Norway and Sweden a curious migration takes place, the irregular migration of the lemming. There is no telling where this strange animal will begin its march southward through Norway and Sweden in search of food. The interval between one migration and the next is seldom less than seven years or, as in one instance, more than seventeen years.

The lemming is a species of rodent and resembles in some ways our common water rat. Once started, these strange creatures press on in a straight line. There is no checking their march. If a wall or a house is in their way, they will try to climb it rather than go around it, and if they come to a stack of corn they will eat it and then go forward. The lemmings are good swimmers, and so they do not mind rivers and ponds, although they cannot keep afloat in rough water.

The migration comes to a fatal finish. Taking a direct course toward the southwest and southeast, the animals arrive after awhile at the seashore. Still they must press on, and the lemming migration ends for another seven years.

Too Familiar.

It was the 6 o'clock rush hour, and the Sixth avenue elevated station at One Hundred and Sixteenth street was packed with an impatient crowd trying to escape to their homes.

In the thick of it was a cloaked figure, apparently that of a plump little girl of eleven or twelve. She was having a hard struggle in the crush, and a big, good natured man behind her just put his hands on her shoulders to help her along.

"Sir!" piped a shrill but quite mature voice as she turned so violently that she created an eddy in the crowd and turned upon the big fellow a pair of snapping black eyes.

"Cæsar's ghost! It's a woman!" he exclaimed as he made an opening for himself through the laughing throng and fled in pink faced dismay.—New York Mail and Express.

Thackeray's Ideas of Corsets.

Thackeray, who detested "wasp waisted women," once told a young relative who was much in love to take his betrothed to a physician before purchasing the engagement ring.

"What for?" his companion inquired in considerable astonishment.

"To see whether that wasp waist is an inheritance or a consequence," he replied.

"Consequence!" exclaimed the young man. "What do you mean?"

"Corsets," said Thackeray laconically.

"Miss —— has the most beautiful figure in England," said the infatuated lover.

"She is deformed," Thackeray responded. "If it is a natural deformity, she may be a moderately healthy woman. Even humpbacks are not always delicate, you know. Mind, I say moderately healthy. But if that girl's figure is the result of corsets you might better go and hang yourself rather than risk the evils that will inevitably follow."

Divided Interest.

A prominent San Francisco business man, knowing that his French barber had a pretty taste in music which he occasionally indulged, asked him one morning while being shaved if he had attended the opera of "Romeo and Juliet" the night before. The barber replied that he had, says the San Francisco Wave.

"How did you enjoy it?" asked the business man.

"Not at all, sir," was the barber's unexpected reply. "From my place in the gallery I could see the back of your head below me, and it mortified me to notice that I had not parted your hair straight."

Her Counselors.

James I. disliked to hear encomiums lavished on his predecessor, "Le Roi Elizabeth," as the French called her, and always depreciated her when possible.

On one occasion some one speaking of the late queen as a "most wise princess" James said sharply, "She had wise counselors."

"And, please your majesty," said the speaker, "did ever a fool choose wise counselors?"

Why Meerschaum Colors.

Meerschaum would not color at all but for the fact that it is boiled in wax. If used in its natural state, it would quickly become soiled, the material being so porous that it absorbs the slightest moisture from the hand or anything it comes in contact with. But the wax fills up the pores and gives the meerschaum a sort of enamel. A pipe that has been spoiled by overheating so that it will not color can be reboiled in wax and restored to some extent. This kind of work is done in the trade by experts, for it requires great skill.

The Spaniard at Home.

The Spaniard at home is not understandable. He loves flowers and carries a pistol; he is passionately fond of the theater, but does not keep quiet that he or his neighbors may hear; he is charmingly courteous and inexcusably cruel; he shares his bread and wine with every stranger and stabs a friend over a trifle. Such are the traits of some. The bullfight is the favorite amusement of this class, and the bullfight, though declining somewhat in popularity, is yet the national diversion.

A Mistaken Engineer.

When it was proposed to build the Central Pacific railroad, a civil engineer of twenty-five years' experience reported that the road could not be completed in twenty years with all the money of the Bank of England to back the enterprise. But it was built and completed seven years before the expiration of the time fixed by congress.

Diplomats Without Missions.

"Well," said a senator who had been engaged in a sharp tilt with a colleague, as he met a senate employee, "do you think that I made a fool of myself?"

"Senator," was the reply, "if I said that you made a fool of yourself I would be disrespectful; if I said you did not, I would be saying what is not true."

All the diplomacy is not in the state department.—Washington Post.

France's Red Ribbon.

So freely has the ribbon of the Legion of Honor been distributed in France that it is no longer considered such an overwhelming honor to be presented with it.

A pertinent story is told of a Parisian who suddenly disappeared. The police on being appealed to for aid asked how he might be identified. "Oh," was the answer, "that's easy. He doesn't wear the ribbon of the Legion of Honor."

None Missing.

"Dear me!" exclaimed Mrs. Droptin as she heard Mr. Sputter in the next room. "What dreadful language!"

"I hope you won't mind it," replied Mrs. Splutter. "My husband is merely giving an imitation of a missing word contest without any words missing."—Columbus (O.) State Journal.

His Various Vocations.

One of the old time darkies on being asked how he was making out replied in this fashion:

"Well, suh, times is mighty tight wid me, but I manages ter make a livin' by doin' a little plowin', a little votin' en a little baptizin'!"—Atlanta Constitution.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 30 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

Boarders wanted at 912 Market street. nov 30 2t

Handsome Young Lady with nice home and $25,000, has everything to make it a happy but companionable husband. Would assist right one. Address Juliet, Box 675, Chicago. nov 30 1t*

We Sell Gas Heating Stoves from $1.50 up. Consolidated Railways Light & Power Co. nov 30 1t

Wanted—Experienced salesmen to sell Overalls, Drawers and Shirts as a side line on commission. Address "Overalls," 810 E. Pratt St., Baltimore, Md. nov 30 3t

Red Men—You are requested to meet at Wigwam on Monday night, December 1, at 8 P. M., to assist in adopting the Pale Faces. Cherokee members are invited. J. M. McGowan, C. of R. nov 30 1t
(Dispatch copy)

Wanted—Stock in the Wilmington Savings and Trust Co. at $130.00. Geo. S. LeGrand. nov 27 3t th su

For Sale, together or separately, the horse and buggy formerly owned by the late Dr Powers. Horse warranted sound and gentle. Apply to Dr. T. V. Moore, Phœnix, N. C. nov 25 1w*

Ballard's Obelisk Flour. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Full line of family groceries and country produce; eggs and chickens. Goods delivered free any part of the city. S. F. Craig, corner Fourth and Bladen street. Bell 'Phone 547. no 22 1w

Call at Winstead's for all kinds of foreign and domestic fruit; Bananas a specialty. No. 213 Market and 215 North Front street. Bell 'Phones 203 and 637. oc 29 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs and Furniture repaired, cleaned and revarnished; Upholstering done also. H. J. Grimman's headquarters for Wall Paper. J. B. Farrar, No. 8½ North Second street. my 16 tf

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New lot Library Lamps. A beautful lot of Pictures; Enamel Beds from $3.75 up. Nice Line Rockers, Trunks and Stoves. New lot Felt Mattresses. Come and see us and get our prices. We guarantee to undersell any firm in the city.

GASTON D. PHARES & CO.

Inter-State 'Phone 76. 110-112 Market street. sep 14 tf

C. C. NUTS.

12,500 C. C. Nuts, 3½c.
2,350 pounds Loose Raisins, 7½c.
218 boxes L. L. Raisins, $1.75.
129 bbls. Baldwin Apples, $2.75.
247 boxes Mixed Nuts, 11½c.
241 boxes Smoked Herring, 18c.
1,980 bushels New Peanuts, 3½c.

W. B. COOPER,

Wholesale Grocer,

no 29 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Voice Culture.

For terms apply to

Mrs. Annie DeRosset Harris,

no 20 tf 113 South Third St.

Lands Posted.

The privilege of hunting on my lands near Wilmington having been leased, all persons are hereby warned against shooting, hunting, ranging or otherwise trespassing on said lands

nov 29 tf S. W. TOOLE.

These busy days our Store is thronged with customers.

I am glad to see them come. We try to make their shopping in our store a pleasure, and also profitable to them. Our large store is taking on a Christmas appearance. We are receiving large quantities of our Holiday Goods, of which we are selling quite a good many.

In our Clothing Department we are doing a very nice business. Our beautiful suits are worn throughout Carolina. We have plenty left for you. We keep in stock new and up to-date. For your Christmas suit come to us. We will sell you a beautiful black Worsted Suit for $5.00, and a nice pretty Serge Suit for $5.00. Pretty colored Cheviot Suits for $4.00. Black Clay Suits for $2.98. In real nice suits for $7.50, $9.00, $10.00 and $12.50 we have a good many styles. If you are thinking of buying a nice suit and would like to save money on your purchase we will ask that you look over our stock.

Shoes! Shoes!!—Cold weather has come and every one needs shoes. We have Baby Shoes from 10c to 50c a pair. Misses Shoes, 5 to 8, strictly all solid, at 50c; 9 to 12, at 60c and 75c; 13 to 2, at 75c and $1.00. Real nice little Gents' Shoes worth $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50. The Old Homestead Shoes for Boys and Girls, which are worth $1.75 and $2.00, we have them for $1.25 and $1.50.

Ladies' and Misses Ready-to-Wear Hats!—We have just bought out a large wholesale house in New York city. We have the latest shapes and the most nobby trimming at half price. A nice line of $1.00 Hats we are selling at 50c. We have a beautiful line in swell styles at 75c, 89c and $1.00 each. Our $1.25 Hats are the latest things that are made. The price is the only cheap thing about them. We mean what we say—we are selling them at half price. Fancy feather breasts and wings at reduced prices. A big lot of wings, breasts and feathers at 10c—goods that have been selling at 25c.

Fifty dozen pretty felt hats to close at 25c each.

A nice line of new furs, ladies' scarfs with three tails, we are running at 98c; a very handsome scarf in different colors for $1.98 each; we have a full line of these goods from 98c to $5.00 each.

Ladies' and Misses' cloaks—We are receiving these goods new daily. We have good clocks for $2.89, $3.75, $5.00. Nice Monte Carlo cloaks at $6.00, $8.00, $10.00. Automobile coats $6.00 up to $12.00; children's coats $98c to $5.00 each.

Our cloak department seems to be in great demand. If you are thinking of buying a new wrap of any kind we would like to say we are headquarters for them. Ladies skirts—Black mercerized underskirts—we have an extra nice line, beautifully made up with ruffles and flounces and absolutely fast colors; skirts at 50c and 75c, with accordeon pleated bottoms; our $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $3.00 skirts are, we think, the prettiest line in the city. We also have the knit skirts from 50c to $1.50.

Dressing Sacques in assorted colors, made of heavy flannels, and beautifully made, at $1.00 each; Lap Robes for baby carriages in bright colors, 75c each; Buggy Robes from $1.50 to $3.00; Baby Caps and Wool Hoods and Fascinators—good silk ones as low as 20c, 25c, 50c and up to 98c; Wool Hoods 10c each and up to 50c; Fascinators from 20c to 50c; Infant Knit Sacques at 25c; Ladies' beautiful Knit Shawls $1.00 to $3.25 each.

Our Corset Department keeps well abreast with the times. Our R & G. Corsets we have reduced, to close out, at cost; $1.00 corset for 75c and the 75c corset for 60c; we sell the best 50c corset sold in the city; will sell you a good corset for 23c, 25c and 38c.

Our large store is a popular trading place. We keep our large stock fully up to the season. All customers wishing to have their photos enlarged into life size oil paintings before Christmas can do so by coming down and making arrangements with us whether they have traded the required $20 or not. We will be glad to have them ready for you to use as Christmas presents.

GEO. O. GAYLORD, PROPRIETOR.

Wilmington's Big Racket Store.

nov 30 tf

MONEY

Deposited with us on or before Monday, December 1st, will draw 4 per cent. interest, compounded quarterly from that date.

OUR MOTTO:—Safety, Courtesy, Promptness, Liberality. We want your business.

The People's Savings Bank,

Opposite the Postoffice.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
nov 29 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.

STATEMENT

THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, NEWARK, N. J.

CONDITION DECEMBER 31ST, 1901, AS SHOWN BY STATEMENT FILED.

Capital Stock authorized, $2,000,000; Subscribed, $2,000,000; Paid in cash, $2,000,000.	
Income—From Policy-holders, $26,631,759.96; Miscellaneous, $4,150,644.85; Total	$ 32,832,401.81
Disbursements—To Policy holders, $8,549,859.98; Miscellaneous, $13,084,365.75; Total	21,636,225.25
Business in Force—Number of Policies, 4,290,539; amount	498,127,183.00
Business written during year—Number of Policies, 1,365,782; amount	165,945,544.00
ASSETS.	
Value of Real Estate (less amount of encumbrance)	$ 10,075,681.22
Value of Stocks and Bonds (United States, State, etc. owned)	19 441,849.58
Loans on Real Estate (first lien on fee-simple)	11,163,787 93
Loans on Stocks, Bonds and other securities	915,000 00
Loans on Company's policies	629,648 81
Interest and Rents, due and accrued	362,030 20
Cash in Home office and deposited in Banks	4 985 411 81
Premiums unpaid	1,617 766 26
All other Assets, detailed in statement	250,703 19
Total	$ 48 784 806 01
Less assets, not admitted	104,334.71
Total admitted Assets	$ 48,630,571 33
LIABILITIES.	
Net reserve	$ 41,012,766 09
Net policy claims	257,776 96
Present value non-due matured installment policies	64,332.19
Unpaid dividends, etc., due Policyholders	299,738 00
All other liabilities as detailed in statement	133,353 73
Total liabilities to policyholders	$41,765,966 09
Capital Stock paid up	2,000,000 00
Gross divisible surplus	4 864 605.24
Total Liabilities	$ 48 630,571.33

BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA IN 1901.

Policies written and revived in 1901, Number, 191; amount	$ 398,080 00
Policies in force, Number, 278; amount	568,141 00
Total amount premiums collected and secured	21,330.05
Amount of losses and claims incurred, $4 994,37; paid	17,100.00

President, John F. Dryden.
Secretary, Forrest F. Dryden.
Home Office, 761 to 769 Broad street, Newark, N. J.
General Agent for service, W. B. Allen, Newbern, N. C.
Business Manager for North Carolina, James O. Wynn, Atlanta, Ga

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, April 17, 1902.

I, JAMES R. YOUNG, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, of Newark, N. J., filed with this Department showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1901.

Witness my hand and official seal, the day and date above written.

JAMES R. YOUNG,
nov 30 2t Insurance Commissioner

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